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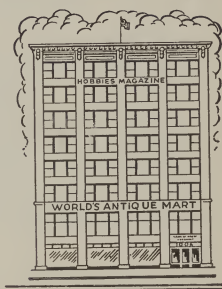
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# Old Mechanical Banks

Conducted by F. H. GRIFFITH



## Coin Registering Bank

By F. H. GRIFFITH

A so-called border-line mechanical bank has not come up in the classification series for some time now. As we reach No. 138, however, we have chosen a bank that more or less fits into this category. This is the Coin Registering Bank, a fine handsome savings device, representative of the building type group of the mechanicals. The bank, like the Pump and Bucket (HOBBIES, April, 1962), is a registering bank and this is its main mechanical function—to indicate the increasing amount as each coin is deposited. However, rather than being a simple registering savings device, the Coin Registering Bank has a unique operating feature that has classed it as a mechanical bank for some years now. This has to do with the fact that the dome of the building must be turned clockwise in order to operate the mechanism. This is comparable to the operating pump handle on the Pump and Bucket, and since on this basis it rates as a mechanical bank, then it follows log-

ically that the Coin Registering Bank must also be considered as such. Registering banks, as pointed out in a previous article or two, are in a class of their own and are not considered mechanical banks in the accepted terminology. A few, such as the one under discussion, the Pump and Bucket, Perfection Registering (HOBBIES, September, 1959), and one or two others are classed as mechanicals due to special operating features and mechanisms.

The Coin Registering Bank was made in the 1890 period and this date appears on the front of the bank as shown in the picture. A paper label on the bottom plate states that a patent was pending, although no patent papers have been found to date by the writer. The 1890 date on the bank is significant, but does not mean it was patented in that year. Several old catalogs picture the bank for sale. Conway Brothers of Philadelphia offered the bank at \$9 per dozen

and in describing it stated: "It has the great advantage over other banks in the market of registering both 5 and 10 cent coins on the same dial." The Charles Y. Kay Company of Alliance, Ohio, used a similar statement in their catalog picturing the bank, but they listed it at \$12 per dozen, and a nickel plated version at \$20 per dozen. The writer has never seen an example of the Coin Registering Bank in nickel plate. In fact it is difficult enough to find an example of the regular painted type in nice original condition. This brings to mind that when certain banks were originally made in two finishes, painted or nickel plate, the plated type sold at a higher price and was considered more desirable. To collectors today the position is reversed in that the painted type is more highly prized.

The Coin Registering Bank shown is in fine original condition with better than usual paint. The overall building is done in a japanned type brown color finish. The dome is bright red with gold striping and a gold top knob. Key type edging just under the dome is silver and the section below this is gold. The name and date are also in gold. Windows are outlined in silver with bronze decorations. The supporting columns of the front entrance are highlighted in gold. The arched doorway is silver with red doors and gold hinges. The side and back windows are done in similar fashion to those on the front, and the rear doorway is also painted like the one on the front. It's a well designed, decorative, good looking building.

The operation of the bank is accurately described on the original paper label on the bottom plate. This is as follows:

### No. 126 Coin Registering Bank (Patent Pending)

Put the nickel or dime in the slot marked for it, and turn the dome to the right until the coin disappears, when the amount will be correctly registered. Do not put nickel and a dime in at the same time, as only one can be registered, and do not put a dime in the nickel slot. When the last coin necessary to make the amount \$5.00 has been deposited the door in the rear of the bank will open. To set the bank, reverse it while the door is open and turn the cylinder to the left until the figure 0 is opposite the opening. Then spring the door in and the bank is ready for deposits.

In closing it bears mention the writer is not certain as to the actual manufacturer of the Coin Registering Bank. One of a number of concerns could be responsible. It is most

likely the company that did manufacture it is also responsible for the Pump and Bucket, Presto Bank (small building), the semi-mechanical Globe Savings Fund, and possibly several others.



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## Establishing Our First National Coinage

By CHARLES FRENCH

The end of the Revolutionary War permitted the Continental Congress to turn its thoughts to things of a more constructive nature.

One of the first subjects that engaged their attention was the establishment of a standard coinage. This was necessary to replace the many Colonial paper issues, Continental currency, and clipped and badly worn Spanish silver coins in circulation.

In addition, counterfeit English coins, and Continental currency, and the like, were a hardship to retail merchants.

There was difficulty in accomplishing this goal, and 10 years was to elapse before our first national coinage became a reality.

In the meantime, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Vermont, and New Jersey issued their own coins, mostly copper, and fashioned after English halfpennies. Other Colonies were about to do the same.

1793 saw the beginning of our regular coinage. It put an end to these state issues, and marked the beginning of our national coinage by the issue of copper coins in denominations of "cents" and "half cents."

Dunlap's American Daily Advertiser, Philadelphia, February 9, 1791, embodied in a report of Alexander Hamilton, Secretary of the Treasury, the following on the subject:

"With regard to the number of different pieces which shall compose the coins of the United States, two things are to be consulted, convenience of circulation and cheapness of the coinage. The first ought to be sacrificed to the last; but, as far as they can be reconciled to each other, it is desirable to do it.

"Numerous small, of not too minute, subdivisions assist circulation, but the multiplication of the smaller kinds increases expense.

"The following, it is conceived, will be sufficient in the commencement. One gold piece, equal in weight or value to two units or dollars. One gold piece, equal to a 10th part of

the former, which shall be a unit or dollar. One silver piece, which shall also be a unit or a dollar. One copper piece, which shall be the value of 100th part of a dollar. One other copper piece, which shall be half the value of the former.

"The largest copper piece will nearly answer to the halfpenny sterling, the smallest, of course, to the farthing.

"Pieces of very small value are a great accommodation and the means of beneficial economy to the poor, by enabling them to purchase in small quantities, and at a more reasonable rate, the necessities of which they stand in need.

"If they are on cents, the lowest price for any portion of a vendible commodity, however, in considerable in quantity, will be a cent; if they are half cents, it will be a half cent, and, in a great number of cases, exactly the same things will be sold for a half cent, which, if there were none, would cost a cent.

"The dollar is recommended by its correspondence with the present coin of that name, the Spanish American piece of eight (Spanish milled dollar) for which it is designed to be a substitute, which will facilitate its ready adoption as such in the minds of citizens.

"The disme, or tenth; the cent, or hundredth; the mille, or thousandth, are proper because they express the proportions they are intended to designate.

"The word 'cent,' being already in use in various transactions and instruments, will, without much difficulty, be understood as the hundredth part and the half cent, of course, as the 200th part."

This was the final result of Congress' 10-year deliberation and formed the beginning of our coinage.

It did not solve all problems, for the mint was compelled, due to many reasons, to curtail its production. Lack of appropriations, poor machinery, plagues, caused many delays.

There were many criticisms of our first coins. The first 1793 cents with the chain design reverse was nicknamed "Miss Liberty in Chains," "The Running Squaw," "Frightened Liberty."

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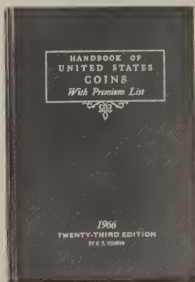
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# COIN QUIZ

By CHARLES FRENCH

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## Question:

Enclosed is a rubbing of a silver coin, dated 1780, obtained in Egypt by my father several years ago. In fine condition, the coin appears to have a heavy silver content. Any information you can give regarding origin and value would be greatly appreciated.

—I.R.W., Ohio

## Answer:

Your coin is a Maria Therese Thaler, dated 1780, and is a trade "dollar" used throughout Ethiopia and that area. They are still coined with the same date upon them and are very common, currently retailing for around \$1.95 in uncirculated condition.

—C.F., New York

## Question:

I recently received a small shipment of miscellaneous English tokens. I have enclosed some rubbings of the pieces I have. I would appreciate any information to help me to identify and value these pieces. I have numbered the rubbings for easy reference.

—R. H., California

## Answer:

The majority of the pieces illustrated are various varieties of English tradesmen's tokens and small tokens medals of England. These usually retail around 25 cents each. There is nothing listed herein that is valuable, to my knowledge.

The counterstamped coins are many, and very little is known about who counterstamped them or why. There has been an increased interest in these lately, but that does not materially increase their value.

—C.F., New York

## Question:

This coin has not been altered or scratched in any way. I would like to know if it is any good to a coin collector. It was supposed to have been a 1962 coin. It's in perfect shape. It's a Denver mint.

I would appreciate it if you would answer this letter. Thank you.

—R.C., California

## Answer:

I am in receipt of your pencil rubbings of a Franklin half dollar.

I am assuming that the 1962 coin looks like 1967. This must have been caused by the die filling up, making the 1962 look like a 1967. I suppose it would be of small interest to a coin collector but of no very high value.

—C.F., New York

## Question:

I have a 1943 steel penny with the 4 in the date barely visible. In fact, I would say it was missing. I don't think it was worn away as the 1, 9 and 3 are perfect. I believe it may be a die imperfection. If this is true, wouldn't this cent be unique? What would be the value of this penny? I've enclosed a pencil rubbing. The opposite side shows the missing 4 quite good.

—Mrs. R. M. P., Ohio

## Answer:

The lacking four in your 1943 cent is most likely due to a filled die. I have seen several 1943 cents lacking various digits and other letters due to this same reason. It would be a small numismatic value to a collector.

—C.F., New York

## Question:

I would like to know what this coin is worth. Victoria, Queen, Hong Kong, 1885. Almost mint. See pencil rubbings.

—E. J., Arkansas

## Answer:

The coin is a Hong Kong silver 10-cent piece. It is not rare. Currently retails for around 20 cents.

—C.F., New York

## Question:

I'd like your help to identify these coins. Can you tell their value, if any, by these rubbings? If you need more information I'll try again.

—Mrs. M. S., Illinois

## Answer:

Your coins are as follows. Am giving retail selling values: 1867 German 3 pfennig 5 cents; 1874 German 2 pfennig 5 cents; 1911 German 1 pfennig 5 cents; 1876 German 10 pfennig 5 cents; 1904 Russian 1 kopek 5 cents. The other is a token medal that retails for around 10 cents.

—C.F., New York

## Question:

What is the value of a German bill: 100,000 mark A-05950672. Reichs bank note dated, Berlin 1 Feb. 1923. Hundertaufend mark.

What is the value of Confederate bills: \$10 bills. 98 bills in Series or Sequence, Richmond, Feb. 17th, 1864.

What is the value of United States bills: \$1 bill, 1917 Series F, T64255234A. Picture of Columbus & crew sighting land to left of Washington's portrait.

—B. J. E., Mississippi

## Answer:

The 100,000 mark note is no longer redeemable and currently retails for 25 cents, if in extremely fine condition. The 98 \$10 Confederate notes of 1864 which I assume are all crisp new unfolded bills from your description would wholesale for around \$1 per note, say \$100 for the pack.

The legal tender \$1 note of 1917, if in very fine condition, retails for around \$5; if it is inferior to that in condition, its value would be proportionately less.

—C.F., New York

## Question:

I have enjoyed reading your Coin Quiz in HOBBIES Magazine for a long time. I am enclosing a rubbing of a coin found on my street, 18 inches below the surface of the ground. Virgin wooded soil.

On one side a crown at the top of this large, thick copper coin. At the bottom, a date, either 1751 or 1761. In between a pair of crossed arrows, pointing up, and horizontally across the center of the coin, 2 OR S.

The other side is pretty well obliterated, but shows a crown above a Coat-of-Arms, and along one border S.G.J.V. as near as I can make out.

It would be interesting to know how the coin got buried on this low hill, on a Coastal plain, 20 miles from the Ocean. It makes one wonder.

If you care to let me know what it is, and approximate value, I would be greatly pleased.

—H. M. C., Massachusetts

## Answer:

The coin you found is a 2 ore piece of Scandinavia, probably Norway. The most logical way of it having found its way to where you picked it up is that it was probably dropped by someone. It is of no value.

—C.F., New York

## Question:

I have three coins that may not have any value as money, but I am very curious to know something about them. Would appreciate any information regarding these coins. See rubbings. Thank you.

Mrs. A. D. S., Alabama

## Answer:

The pieces you have are not coins but tokens, probably political. They have no particular value.

—C.F., New York

## Question:

I enclose pencil rubbing (back and front) of a coin. May I have comments (with value)?

Thanking you, I am,

—Mrs. J. M., Alberta, Canada

## Answer:

The coin is a British West Africa one penny of Edward VIII of England. Current value is 75 cents.

—C.F., New York

## Question:

I am enclosing pencil rubbing of this coin. Will you please tell me what it is and if it has any value?

—Mrs. B. C. B., Iowa

## Answer:

The coin is a medium bronze of Ancient Rome, Emperor Severus. Its value, if not corroded, is around \$2.50.

—C.F., New York

## Question:

The token that I am enclosing rubbing of was given to me in France in 1919. I would appreciate an estimate of value, if any, also any information I could get in regard to it.

The obverse is Louis XVIII, Roi de

France. The reverse is Optimo, Prinsipi, Jeton. There is no date.

Thanking you in advance for any attention given this matter, I remain,  
—R. G. O., Minnesota

Answer:

Your coin is a French Jeton under Louis XVIII. Jetons are usually privately issued tokens to allay coin shortages of the times. Its value is little.

—C. F., New York

Question:

This is a Chilean coin in silver dated 1884 with an eagle on one side and the legend "por La Razon o la Fuerza—República de Chile—Un peso." The other side shows a wreath, shield, a star, and a plume with a large "S" over a small "o" at the bottom.

—F. A. S., New York

Answer:

Your 1884 Santiago mint one peso piece is worth about \$3 retail.

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Question:

A Museum visitor found an interesting coin in the surf at Rehoboth Beach. It appears to be copper, but we are unable to identify even the country.

On the obverse is a man's head encircled by the letters, "Imp (or d) G M A X E U O R N T I U S P F (or E) A U S"

On the reverse is the full length figure of a lady in flowing robes, her arms extended, holding what appears to be lamps. Under the figure are the letters, "M U (or O) S T T." Around the top are the letters, "C I D E S N I L I T" "U N A (or H) U C N."

The letters are difficult to read so there may be some that we do not have correct. We are also enclosing pencil rubbings of the two sides.

If you can tell us anything about this coin, we will be very appreciative.

—Mrs. D. L. C., Delaware

Answer:

The coin you inquired about seems to be a medium bronze of the Roman Emperor Maxentius A.D. 306-312. Pieces such as that retail around \$1.50. It seems to be a strange place to find a Roman bronze.

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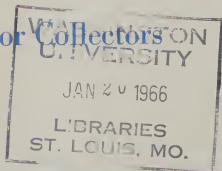
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# Old Mechanical Banks

Conducted by F. H. GRIFFITH



Fig. 1



Fig. 2

## UNCLE TOM

By F. H. GRIFFITH

There are two Uncle Tom mechanical banks, one with the name thereon, the other without; each, however, has the initials U.T. on the coin trap. They are different banks even though they both have the same patent date and are somewhat alike in appearance. One is known as Uncle Tom (No Lapels) and this is our choice as No. 139 in the numerical classification. The other with the name on the lapels is called, of course, Uncle Tom and is No. 140 in the classification.

Both Uncle Tom banks were made by Kyser & Rex of Philadelphia, Pa. A patent was issued January 24, 1882 to Louis Kyser and Alfred C. Rex as an improvement in toy money boxes and it covered a bust type bank with certain moving parts. These parts, however, were not necessarily to be in accord with the diagram included with the patent papers. Thus we have two similar appearing banks which operate quite differently. Uncle Tom (No Lapels) is shown in Figure 1, and note that his lips and teeth are well defined and he has no jacket with lapels. His shirt is red and he has a blue tie with yellow polka dots. His tongue, lips, nostrils and corners

of the eye sockets are red. His eyes are brown with black pupils and his teeth are white.

To operate this bank a coin is first placed on the tongue inside the mouth of the figure. A lever in back of the head is then pressed down. This causes the tongue to recede dropping the coin inside the bust. At the same time his eyes lower. On releasing the lever the moving parts return to the positions as shown in Figure 1.

Uncle Tom, Figure 2, has lips that protrude, no teeth, and wears a jacket with the name Uncle on the right lapel and Tom on the left. His jacket is blue with the name in gold. He has a white shirt and a red tie with white polka dots. His inside lower lip, tongue and eye socket corners are red. His eyes are white outlined in black with black pupils.

To operate this bank a lever located in the center of his back is first pressed or pushed in. This causes his tongue to come forward and protrude over his lower lip. At the same time his eyes roll up. A coin is then placed on his tongue and the lever released. The parts return to the position as shown in Figure 2 and the coin slides from his tongue on inside the bank.

This bank operates on the basic principle as outlined in the drawing accompanying the patent papers. There is a spring shown in the patent drawing, but this is not necessary as the weight of the parts is sufficient to cause them to operate as described.

It is interesting to note that Uncle Tom, Figure 2, is one of the lever operated mechanical banks where the lever is pressed before the coin is placed in position. There are only a few mechanical banks that operate in this fashion, and one other that comes to mind at the moment is the Old Woman In The Shoe (HOBBIES, March, 1953).

Just why Kyser & Rex chose to make Uncle Tom in two different types may never be known for sure. Nor can we tell which was made first or if they were manufactured concurrently. Both mechanisms are sturdy and substantial and would stand considerable usage so this could not have been a factor. There is this possibility—when placing the coin on the tongue of the one in Figure 2 there is a tendency for the coin to slide off the tongue into the bank before the lever is released. Actually, while the writer's preference seems to lean towards this bank, the other, Figure 1, operates much better and the coin cannot go into the bank until the lever is pressed.

In closing it bears mention that the rare Hindu Bank (HOBBIES, February, 1955) was produced by Kyser & Rex under the same patent as that covering both Uncle Tom banks. Detailed information concerning this was included in the Hindu Bank article.



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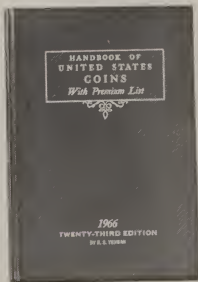
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#### Answer:

The condition of the Shekel determines its value. If in fine condition this could run in value from \$10 to \$50.

—C. F., New York

#### Question:

I have two Dimes (American) and one Canadian Nickel, and I would like to know if they have any value.

One Dime is an 1832. It has the bust of a woman and 13 stars on one side, and an eagle on the other. Under the eagle is "10 C."

The other Dime is 1856. It has a sitting figure and 13 stars on one side, and a wreath on the other side.

The 1906 Canadian Nickel has a bust of King Edward VII on one side, and a wreath and crown on the other. It is smaller than our Dime.

—Mrs. C. R., New York

#### Answer:

As no condition is given it is difficult to evaluate your coins. If the US Dime is in "Good" condition it is worth around \$1. The 1856 Dime is worth around 50c. The Canadian 5 cent piece would be worth around 25c.

—C. F., New York

#### Question:

I have 50 United States silver dollars ranging from good to excellent with dates from 1880 to 1927. Depending on condition and date, is there any premium on coins such as these?

—J. J. R., Delaware

#### Answer:

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—R. S. H., California

#### Answer:

The French piece is a medallion of some sort made in imitation of an old French 5-franc piece. It is of no numismatic value. The 10-Escudo piece of Spain is a brass copy or counterfeit, of no value. The three lead pieces are 18th century church tokens. These usually retail around \$1 each.

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somewhat on side 2, in the center. Side 1 has a round orb upon which rests a crown. Around the edge is the wording: Rex-P-Et-D-Guine Josephus I-D-G.

Side 2 bears the date 1763, Africa-Portuguesa. In the inner circle above design on left and right are an "M" and a "U." This area is quite worn.

Research at the Dayton library has failed to enlighten us as to what kind or denomination this coin might be, other than our own deduction it is a Portuguese African coin of some kind.

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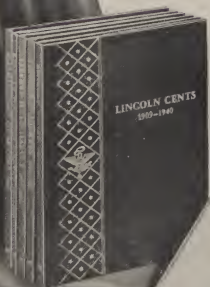
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late as 1893 to the regular Army, with none going to the Militia.

The Springfield shotgun was designed solely for hunting, while contemporary 10- and 12-gauge shotguns such as double-barrel Parkers and repeating Spencers were procured in limited numbers for guard duty during the 1870's and 1880's.

In 1895, Winchester Model 1893 12-gauge guns were purchased for guard duty in thickly populated areas.

By the turn of the century, issues of the Model 1881 guns had ceased. In 1904, all Springfield shotguns were ordered turned into the Rock Island Arsenal or to the Springfield Armory.

In September of that year, however, this general order was modified to permit the retention of the shotgun by troops in Alaska. One thousand rounds of shotgun ammunition were to be supplied for each company or troop stationed on this Northern Frontier equipped with these guns.

The 1881 Springfield never achieved the battle-field glory of its companion arms, the .45 caliber breech-loading Springfield rifle and carbine. Nevertheless, to thousands of soldiers stationed at isolated Western Frontier posts, it made possible a welcome change in diet from the usual monotony of military rations of the period.

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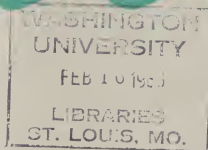
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# Old Mechanical Banks

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FIGURE 1



FIGURE 2

## Bull Dog Standing---Bear and Tree Stump

By F. H. GRIFFITH

Two animal mechanical banks, a dog and a bear, each made by the same concern, H. L. Judd Company of Wallingford, Conn., are our choice as Nos. 141 and 142 in the numerical classification. These are what we might call "simple action" banks, as were most of those manufactured by Judd. They produced a nice line of good banks over a period of years, but none were particularly outstanding or highly animated. Unfortunately, this simplicity of construction and mechanism made a number of their banks prime targets for recasting, including the two under present discussion. Actually original specimens of the Bull Dog Standing or the Bear And Tree Stump are not plentiful or easy to come by. This has become increasingly so as the years have passed since mechanical banks first became collectors items. The recasts that have been made of the various Judd banks can be recognized as such, and for further detail on this situation please refer to the April, 1963, article in *HOBBIES* on the Bucking Mule Bank. This was the first of the Judd banks to be covered in the series articles.

The general line of Judd banks were made with good detail in their casting. Hair lines, for example, were well done with fine definition, and both the Bull Dog Standing and Bear And Tree Stump are representative of this. Their banks were usually painted in one of a number of basic colors. Judd listed these colors as

Ebony or Ebonized, Bronzed, Copper Bronze, Maroon, Gilded, and Dark Antique Finish. Thus none of their banks are particularly colorful, although a touch of red and yellow was used on the Bucking Mule and several others. In some cases certain of their banks were painted in combinations of two of their basic colors. The various basic colors, by the way, were in a japanned type finish. With the possible exception of the Mosque Bank, all other Judd production banks were comparatively small in size and only small coins—pennies, dimes and nickels—could be used in their operation. Most of their banks were made in two half-sections with no coin traps, making it necessary to take the respective bank apart in order to remove accumulated coins.

In spite of the fact that this is only the second time Judd banks have appeared in the series of articles to date, they, as a mechanical bank manufacturer, are among the top ten companies who made mechanical banks in the United States. They were quite active in this field during their period.

The Bull Dog Standing shown, Fig. 1, is a fine original specimen with the ebony or ebonized type finish. The only other color on this bank are the two white eyes of the dog.

The operation of the bank is simplicity itself. A coin is placed on the dog's tongue and his tail is then lifted. This causes the tongue to recede into the dog's mouth and the coin drops from there inside the bank. The tongue in receding tilts to the side as it goes inside the dog and the coin slides therefrom. The weight of the tail, when released, returns the tongue to the position as shown in the picture. A fine illustration of this bank appears in the 1887 catalog of C. F. Rice, Chicago, Ill. They priced it at 20c each.

The Bear And Tree Stump is pictured in Figure 2 and it also is a fine original specimen with the ebony or ebonized type paint. The only other color is the red tongue of the bear. To operate the bank a coin is placed on the tongue of the bear and a lever in his back is then depressed. This causes the tongue to lift up and the coin slides on inside the body of the bear. The tongue returns by its own weight to the position shown in the picture. A fine illustration of this bank also appears in the same 1887 Rice catalog and it was priced at 25c each.

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The earliest coins were crude lumps of electrum, an alloy of gold and silver, used in its original state. These coins were of varying sizes and had struck upon one side crude evidence of identification. The identification stamp upon each without doubt was used to guarantee the piece's weight and fineness.

Around 700 B.C. the Lydians or Ionian Greeks issued the first pieces that may be considered "true" coins, and were the first to strike them in uniform sizes and weight. These Greeks standardized the coins rather than have every piece different.

While there were no legends as

yet, the coins had birds, animals, fish, turtles, and so forth in full or in part on them for identification to tell from whence the coins came.

The bimetal electrum coins were soon found to be unsatisfactory due to the variance in the natural alloy of gold and silver. So, beginning with the Lydian coinage of the sixth century B.C. coins were first struck in either gold or silver. A fixed rate of values was used between the two metals.

Around the seventh century B.C. the Island of Aegina began issuing silver coins bearing a turtle, the Island's device. This coin's popularity induced the competitive cities of Athens and Corinth to follow suit. Athens adopted, as an identifying mark, the owl; Corinth, Pegasus.

Mints soon began opening in North Africa, Asia Minor, and in the Greek Colonies of Southern Italy. Industrial competition throughout the Mediterranean was great and these early staters and tetradrachms were the foundation of trade.

The animals used as identifying marks without doubt bore some connection to religious beliefs and can be considered the foundation of the later specimens bearing the heads and figures of gods and goddesses.

Athens, as an example of development, during the sixth century B.C., adopted, as an obverse design, the helmeted head of Pallas Athena. The sacred owl appeared upon the reverse—a design, which, with minor changes, was used for many centuries to come.

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—N. G., Massachusetts

**Answer:**

I regret to say that all three coins are copies of ancient coins and as such of no value.

—C. F., New York

**Question:**

I have a necklace which was my father's and I am wondering if it has any worth. It is made up of 44 British 4-pence coins, dated from 1838 to 1864 and one 1895 coin which I believe is a shilling. The coins are not pierced, but small links are welded to each coin. Will appreciate a reply.

—R. E. H., Illinois

**Answer:**

Regret to say that insofar as there are links soldered to each of the coins they are taken out of the rare coin category, would not be coin collectors' items.

—C. F., New York

**Question:**

I have a coin that puzzles me, wonder if you can help.

It is a Dime, appears identical to the Seated Liberty with drapery from elbow. The date is 1846, mint mark O. The letters on the coin are very distinct, the robes of Liberty show wear.

There is no 1846 O in the Red Book. The coin appears to be either gold or brass; I have not attempted to clean it. One dealer I showed it to said it could be a pattern. Any clues?

—Mrs. R. V., Georgia

**Answer:**

As there were no Dimes minted in 1846 at the New Orleans mint it cannot be genuine. It also is not a pattern, for patterns were only coined at the Philadelphia mint. As it is brassy it most likely is a counterfeit.

—C. F., New York

**Question:**

I have what I believe is an unusual Dime. It is a 1901 Liberty Head Dime. It is in Fair to Good condition, with all lettering readable except Liberty is worn off the band on the head.

On the obverse, directly beneath the "R" is a definite "O" or "D." I have asked collectors and non-collectors agree it is an "O" or "D." Collectors say, "that's the mint mark, until they realize the mint mark is supposed to be on reverse."

Is this misplaced mint mark an oddity? Have there been others reported? I am very interested in your opinion of this coin.

—Mrs. M. M., Michigan

**Answer:**

This is not an oddity or error, for it would be impossible to have occurred. Without question it is an alteration of some sort.

—C. F., New York

**Question:**

Have the large denomination, (or small), paper, German marks of 1922 and 1923. Any value? How much is a large U.S. paper dollar, "May 18, 1914," worth?

—Mrs. J. F., New York

**Answer:**

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—C. F., New York

**Question:**

I am enclosing a pencil rubbing of an 1889 Indian Head penny which I own which I believe may contain a mint error. Would you please give me some idea of the value of this coin and any other information you may have about it? Thank you.

—Mrs. C. J. D., New York

**Answer:**

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—C. F., New York

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1939	15	165.00	195.00	1955	11	21.00	28.00
1940	14	82.50	102.50	1956	9	5.50	7.50
1941	15	70.00	85.00	1957	10	5.25	7.25
1942	16	90.00	112.50	1958	10	8.00	11.00
1943	15	47.50	62.50	1959	10	5.00	7.50
1944	15	34.00	45.00	1960	10	4.50	6.50
1945	15	29.00	39.00	*1960	12	12.50	17.50
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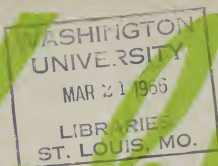
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# Old Mechanical Banks

Conducted by F. H. GRIFFITH



Figure 1



Figure II

## World's Fair Bank

By F. H. GRIFFITH

The World's Fair Bank, our choice as No. 143 in the numerical classification, is a mechanical bank that we could say has a lot going for it. In the first place it represents an important event in our history, the discovery of America by Columbus. Along with this it commemorates an exhibition in honor of Columbus, the Worlds Columbian Exposition held in Chicago, Ill. Further the bank was designed by Charles A. Bailey, the greatest of all mechanical bank designers. Then it is a surprise type of bank in that there is nothing obvious about the action that takes place. These factors along with its ornate decorations, attractive appearance, and excellent action make the World's Fair Bank add up to quite a desirable animated toy savings device. Another point of interest, it is one of only three known mechanical banks that utilize an Indian as part of the subject matter. The other two are Chief Big Moon (HOBBIES, March 1965) and the Indian and Bear.

The World's Fair Bank was patented October 10, 1893 by Charles A. Bailey of Cromwell, Conn., and assigned by him to the J. & E. Stevens Company of the same place. The bank as made by Stevens closely follows the four diagrams which are part of the patent papers. The bank pictured was made prior to the date of the issue of the patent and the terminology "Pat. Appl. For" appears on this bank under the word "World's." It was first made in this fashion with the name thereon. Then for some years, after the World's Columbian Exposition was over, it was made without the name. Thus, while the bank is generally known as the World's Fair Bank, it is also often called Columbus And The Indian. Either name is appropriate since it was made with and without a name, and while the writer prefers the type with the name, actually one or the other is of about equal value. Stevens in their catalogs and advertising cards of the period simply called it the Columbus Bank.

The bank shown is in fine complete, original condition. It is painted simply but effectively as follows: The overall bank is gold including the figure of Columbus. A large flower by his left foot and the operating lever in the tree stump (upon which Columbus is seated) are in silver. The log in front of Columbus has a leafy vine and berry representation on it, and this is in silver. The figure of the Indian has bronze color legs, arms, face

and neck. His clothing, headdress and peace pipe are silver. The inside of the log (which covers the Indian as in Figure 1) and the decorated section inside the bank, into which the Indian fits, are a tinted green silver color. The name World's Fair Bank is highlighted in silver. The perforated base plate is quite decorative with the name "Columbus" in large letters curved across its length. The entire plate is painted brown. As can be seen in both Figures 1 and 2, the base has a fine embossed representation of a buffalo hunt with the Indian on horseback running down the buffalo. On the other side of the base there is considerable floral, leaf and vine work surrounding the center section. In relief in this section is a good representation of Columbus' ship, the Santa Maria. So one can readily judge from the picture plus the description that this is a very ornately detailed toy savings device.

To operate the bank a coin is placed in the provided slot in front of the feet of Columbus (Figure 1). It stays in place resting against the end of the log. The lever is then pressed down. The log snaps up and back as the figure of the Indian rises to the position as shown in Figure 2. Columbus lifts his right arm in greeting as the Indian offers him the peace pipe. The coin meantime slides down a slot-like chute into the bank. On releasing the lever Columbus lowers his right arm. The log with the Indian must be pressed down by hand for further operation. The bank then appears as in Figure 1 ready for another coin. Coins are removed by means of the conventional round Stevens trap in the base plate.

The World's Fair Bank is a sturdy well made mechanical bank. However, over the years, of the number of these banks seen by the writer, most of them have been broken. This is rather strange, and in most cases the breakage had to do with the figure of Columbus. The only logical explanation would seem to be that for some reason the World's Fair Bank was subject to rougher treatment than most.

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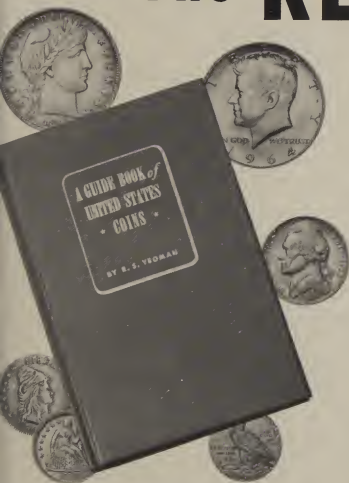
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50-P	.35	5.00	2.00	1.25	13.00
D	25.00	15.00	1.75	10.00	40.00
51-P	.45	1.50	1.50	1.00	10.00
D	2.00	2.00	1.00	1.00	10.00
52-P	.85	1.50	9.50	7.00	10.00
D	.80	.40	.70	1.00	4.00
53-P	.20	5.25	.60	.20	12.00
D	.60	1.50	1.90	4.00	8.00
54-P	.25	.45	1.15	2.25	12.00
D	.15	.50	.35	.40	1.40
55-P	.45	1.25	1.15	1.50	4.50
D	.20	.20	.25	.90	1.75
56-P	.35	.50	1.00	1.00	3.00
D	.20	.25	.35	1.35	4.00
57-P	.15	.25	.20	.50	2.75
D	.10	.15	.40	1.00	5.75
58-P	.15	.70	.70	1.75	3.00
D	.10	.15	.20	.40	1.20
59-P	.10	.30	.20	.40	2.25
D	.10	.15	.20	.40	1.20
60-P	.10	.30	.20	.40	2.25
D	.10	.15	.20	.40	1.20

SMALL DATA SINGLES 60-P 7.85, 80-D 3.00  
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	1e	5c	10c	25c	50c
34-P	90.00				150.00
D	370.00				425.00
35-P	37.00	NM	NM	NM	185.00
D	190.00				280.00
36-P	23.00		85.00		130.00
D	122.00				108.00
37-P	103.00				180.00
D	215.00	75.00			225.00
38-P	65.00	170.00	390.00		
D	43.00	75.00	100.00		475.00
39-P	115.00	315.00	90.00	890.00	
D	22.00	60.00	90.00	240.00	180.00
40-P	32.00	50.00			885.00
D	42.00	80.00	150.00	375.00	
41-P	25.00	75.00	80.00	215.00	185.00
D	42.00	90.00	115.00	165.00	200.00
42-P	40.00	50.00	85.00	225.00	
D	7.00	12.00	53.00	66.00	80.00
43-P	165.00	120.00	125.00	725.00	335.00
D	11.00	30.00	45.00	46.00	77.00
44-P	32.00	32.00	33.00	115.00	215.00
D	46.00	46.00	79.00	215.00	
45-P	8.50	105.00	44.00	45.00	80.00
D	19.00	85.00	43.00	108.00	100.00
46-P	12.00	110.00	52.00	90.00	110.00
D	11.00	110.00	52.00	90.00	110.00
47-P	12.50	50.00	60.00	145.00	115.00
D	25.00	13.00	47.00	62.00	125.00
48-P	10.25	21.00	38.00	80.00	100.00
D	26.00	53.00	69.00	130.00	NM
49-P	12.00	12.00	95.00	30.00	170.00
D	12.00	30.00	37.00	57.00	120.00
50-P	46.00	87.00	66.00	60.00	NM
D	16.00	30.00	35.00	475.00	435.00
51-P	16.00	80.00	92.00	125.00	180.00
D	33.00	98.00	550.00	NM	375.00
52-P	12.00	115.00	68.00	42.00	240.00
D	12.00	88.00	56.00	80.00	100.00
53-P	35.00	NM	NM	125.00	NM
D	17.50	45.00	52.00	38.00	84.00
54-P	3.50	50.00	34.50	27.00	165.00
D	38.00	200.00	300.00	225.00	170.00
55-P	18.00	19.00	33.00	26.00	57.00
D	4.00	14.00	35.00	20.00	37.00
56-P	25.00	42.00	82.00		
57-P	4.00	11.00	35.00	66.00	320.00
D	4.00	9.00	14.00	13.75	24.00
58-P	1.60	9.00	35.00	53.00	80.00
D	2.00	7.50	9.50	15.00	30.00
59-P	2.00	4.00	9.00	23.00	15.00
D	12.00	15.00	42.00	44.00	57.00
60-P	6.00	80.00	80.00	40.00	170.00
D	4.00	11.00	56.00	145.00	NM
61-P	3.50	8.00	7.25	16.00	87.00
D	1.35	3.50	8.00	18.50	NM
62-P	4.50	9.00	6.00	15.50	40.00
D	1.60	9.00	10.00	14.00	18.00
63-P	4.75	22.00	29.00	62.00	58.00
D	1.75	2.80	7.00	11.25	19.00
64-P	8.00	8.00	8.00	16.50	38.00
D	1.50	3.25	7.00	12.75	26.00
65-P	1.50	3.00	8.00	15.00	37.00
D	1.25	7.00	7.00	12.00	14.50
66-P	1.65	3.90	9.50	14.50	25.00
D	1.45	3.90	6.75	14.50	25.00
67-P	1.50	3.00	8.50	15.00	25.00
D	.75	2.25	8.00	14.00	25.00
68-P	.75	2.25	8.00	14.00	25.00
D	.75	2.25	8.00	14.00	25.00

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	VG	F	VF	EF	AU	U	BU
1878-P 8F	3.50	4.00	5.00	5.00	9.00	10.00	17.50
78-P 8F	1.60	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80
79-P 7F	1.60	1.80	1.90	2.00	2.25	2.45	2.60
80-P	1.60	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80
81-P	1.50	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80
82-P	1.75	2.00	2.50	2.75	3.00	3.50	4.00
83-P	1.50	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80
84-P	1.65	1.80	1.85	1.90	1.95	2.00	2.10
85-P	1.65	1.80	1.85	1.90	1.95	2.00	2.10
86-P	1.60	1.70	1.80	1.90	2.00	2.10	2.20
87-P	1.60	1.70	1.80	1.90	2.00	2.10	2.20
88-P	1.60	1.70	1.80	1.90	2.00	2.10	2.20
89-P	1.60	1.70	1.80	1.90	2.00	2.10	2.20
90-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.50
91-P	1.75	2.00	2.50	2.75	3.00	3.50	4.00
92-P	2.50	3.00	3.50	4.00	4.50	5.00	5.50
93-P	6.00	7.00	9.50	14.00	18.00	40.00	41.00
94-P	1.50	1.65	1.80	1.95	2.10	2.25	2.40
95-P	1.50	1.65	1.80	1.95	2.10	2.25	2.40
96-P	1.50	1.65	1.80	1.95	2.10	2.25	2.40
97-P	1.50	1.65	1.80	1.95	2.10	2.25	2.40
98-P	1.50	1.65	1.80	1.95	2.10	2.25	2.40
99-P	1.50	1.65	1.80	1.95	2.10	2.25	2.40
100-P	1.50	1.65	1.80	1.95	2.10	2.25	2.40
101-P	3.00	4.00	5.50	15.00	21.00	60.00	61.00
102-P	3.00	4.00	5.50	15.00	21.00	60.00	61.00
103-P	3.00	4.00	5.50	15.00	21.00	60.00	61.00
104-P	1.75	2.25	3.00	4.00	4.50	20.00	20.00
105-P	3.00	3.50	4.50	5.00	5.00	105.00	105.00
106-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
107-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
108-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
109-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
110-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
111-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
112-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
113-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
114-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
115-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
116-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
117-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
118-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
119-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
120-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
121-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
122-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
123-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
124-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
125-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
126-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
127-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
128-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
129-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
130-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
131-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
132-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
133-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
134-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
135-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
136-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
137-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
138-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
139-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
140-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
141-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
142-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
143-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
144-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
145-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
146-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
147-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
148-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
149-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
150-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
151-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
152-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
153-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
154-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
155-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
156-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
157-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
158-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
159-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
160-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
161-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
162-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
163-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
164-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
165-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
166-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
167-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
168-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
169-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
170-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
171-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
172-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
173-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
174-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
175-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
176-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
177-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
178-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
179-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
180-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
181-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
182-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
183-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
184-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
185-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
186-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
187-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
188-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
189-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
190-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
191-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
192-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
193-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
194-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
195-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
196-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
197-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
198-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
199-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
200-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
201-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
202-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
203-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
204-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
205-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
206-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
207-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
208-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
209-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
210-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
211-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
212-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
213-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
214-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
215-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
216-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
217-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
218-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
219-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
220-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
221-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
222-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
223-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
224-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
225-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
226-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
227-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
228-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
229-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
230-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
231-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
232-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
233-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
234-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
235-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
236-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
237-P	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00	3.00
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### MART — WANTED

**WANTED:** Old, unusual and foreign playing cards. Describe, price. — E. M. Salmonsens, 8732 Newburg, Chicago 26, Illinois. ol28801

**RADIO** catalogs, callbooks, magazines pre-1920 for historical library. — Wayne Nelson, Concord, N.C. my12698

**ELECTRIC FANS** prior 1915. Give diameter blades, name plate reading if oscillating, price.—D. C. Adair, 80 East Roanoke Ave., Phoenix 4, Ariz. al122741

**OLD TYPEWRITERS** WANTED prior to 1920. Also catalogs, literature.—Lippman, 175 West 13th St., New York, N.Y. ja122511

**INFORMATION** wanted on old marble factories, production methods, sales literature, etc. Antique marbles also wanted. — Paul Baumann, Rt. 1, Box 273, Oswego, Ill. my13863

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**EARLY** medical tools and instruments wanted prior to 1870's. Wooden cased sets preferred. Please give sketch or photo and price. Immediate answers. — Norm Floydman, R.F.D. 2, New Milford, Conn. my6829

**WANTED AT ALL TIMES.** Letters and documents of famous Americans. Always interested in Presidents' letters and documents, especially Abraham Lincoln. Highest prices paid. — King V. Hostick, 55 E. Washington, Chicago, Ill. txf

**PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN ITEMS** from buttons to torch lights. — Chick Harris, 6223 Mardell St. Louis 5, Mo. my362

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**WANTED:** Stampless folded letters; stamped, postmarked envelopes (covers) Union, Confederate, Western States and Territorial letters, covers and memorabilia; autographs; documents; photographs; curios; political and pictorial items; cards; other Americana. Especially desire large family accumulations before 1880. Describe and price. — John W. Stine, 515 Elsie St., Edwardsville, Ill. my3257

**LIONEL**, Ives, American Flyer wide gauge (standard range) tinsplate train sets, Erector, Meccano, wanted. — Alton Miller, 3212 34th Ave., South, Minneapolis, Minn. 55406. je122741

**LINCOLN PRINTINGS:** Anything pertaining to contemporary printings of Abraham Lincoln. Must have been published during his lifetime. Especially interested in broadside printings about him. Please describe fully and price before sending. — King Hostick, 55 East Washington, Chicago 2, Ill. txf

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**Wanted:** Theater lantern slides telling of coming attractions. Either silent films or early sound.—Studio Boris, Chagrin Falls, Ohio. ap3815

**Wanted:** Any historical material relating to any Western State, Hawaii, or Alaska. Books, broadsides, letters, diaries, business ledgers, early newspapers, advertisements, prints, paintings, anything else. Send for Want List. — Argonaut, 336 Kearney St., San Francisco, Calif. au126543

**Handcuffs, leg irons, shackles, locks, keys, spurs, antique and modern firearms, ammunition, pocket cans and kegs, old wide gauge electric trains. Also collections of books, pamphlets, paintings, sculpture. — Roshon, 388 1st Ave., Phoenixville, Pa. n124623**

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**WANTED:** Theatre programs, letters, and memorabilia of dear Jenny Lind. — W. Porter Ware, Sewanee, Tennessee. txf

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**NAZI DAGGERS** wanted. Also cash paid for Nazi art objects - flags, helmets, other equipment. Price please, no offers. — Enterprise, Box 2301, Milwaukee, Wis. au6837

**MILITARY** helmets and headgear — wanted. Can use just about any type, the older the better, from just about every country in the world. Especially seeking early U.S. leather headgear as well as WWI German spike helmets. Please give details (sketch or photo will help) and price first letter. Immediate replies. — Norm Floydman, R.F.D. 2, New Milford, Conn. my64381

**WANTED:** Antique and classic automobile literature: handbook, manuals, magazines, etc. — A. P. Feilgrit to the West, such as the cowboy and Indian, Western landscapes, etc. By artists as Remington, Russell, Schreyvogel, Kriegerhoff, Bierstadt, Catlin, Homer and lesser known artists, also American and Canadian artists of the 19th century school. — J. N. Bartfield, 10 West 57th St., New York 19, N.Y. Area Code 212 Pinza 3-1830. my36921

**PAINTINGS** WANTED: also bronzes, drawings, water colors, etc. by American and European artists. A particular want is anything of American historical interest especially subjects of the West, such as the cowboy and Indian, Western landscapes, etc. By artists as Remington, Russell, Schreyvogel, Kriegerhoff, Bierstadt, Catlin, Homer and lesser known artists, also American and Canadian artists of the 19th century school. — J. N. Bartfield, 10 West 57th St., New York 19, N.Y. Area Code 212 Pinza 3-1830. my36921

**PRESIDENTIAL** campaign buttons, ribbons, and tokens purchased: one item or a whole collection. — Edwin Pils, 185 Linden Rd., Birmingham, Mich. au6485

**Wanted:** Old auto owners and repair manuals, catalogs, literature, radiator ornaments & emblems. Prices, details first letter.—Bob Futterman, 7001 E. Hubbell, Scottsdale, Ariz. je3675

**WANTED:** Rose O'Neill Kewpies and Happy Fats dolls or items in any form — Mrs. Virginia Rhule, 824 East Capitol, Springfield, Ill. 62701 n128041

**WHALING ITEMS** WANTED: Log journals, ships' papers, implements, nautical antiquities and curios, books, ship models.—Wedge's Marine Antiques, R.F.D. 3, Box 344-H, Saugerties, N.Y. my6005

**OLD CLOTHING** worn before 1930: ladies, mens, childrens. Write me about anything you have in this line. — Richard's Costumes, 3725 N. Drexel, Indianapolis, Ind. ap3001

**WELLS FARGO**, Adams Express, stagecoach company annual passes, call cards, locks, scale, service pins, badges, other items.—John Fendrick, 45 Collier Circle, Ridley Park, Pa. au3233

**WANTED:** Small photographs of Civil War - soldiers, Lincoln, Booth, slaves, criminals, policemen, presidents, missionaries and other oddities. — Momjian, 223 Willow Brook Drive, Huntington Valley, Pa. je3606

**RAILROAD** timetables, old, also want old official guides, annual pass collections.—Applegate, 4404 Mary St., Omaha, Neb. 68112 my6086

**PUCK**, Life magazines, 1896-1901 with illustrations by O'Neill-Latham. Am magazines, 1895-1926, containing paper dolls and kewpies. Quota price paid. — Armedia Sanborn, 4365 Clubhouse Dr., Lakewood, Calif. 90712 ap343

**California** and the West. Gold rush books, diaries, journals, letters, lithographs, anything printed or written. Cash paid. — John Hassler, P.O. Box 268, Coloma, Calif. 95613. s6000

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## STAMPS

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quantities of recent plate blocks and mint sheets on which they can never get their money back unless they use them for postage. I would think that, with all the repetition, almost every reader would have received my message.

Yet hardly a day goes by that the editor of this column does not receive a letter from some reader who has a large quantity of precisely this type of material for sale. Invariably, he is surprised to learn that his holdings have no premium value.

In such a case it is not the hobby that is to blame for his surprise and disappointment. Collections are for fun. But, by planned buying, they can be made into collections that sell.

## POST CARDS

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Of a much poorer quality, but still quite interesting, is a set published by American-Journal-Examiner newspapers. On the undivided backs is this wording, "Compliments of New York Sunday American & Journal—This side is exclusively for the address."

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# Old Mechanical Banks

Conducted by F. H. GRIFFITH



Figure 1



Figure 2



Figure 3

## The Three Musical Savings Banks

By F. H. GRIFFITH

Not one, but three different type Musical Savings Banks, are known to exist. All three operate on the same principle—the insertion of a coin starts a musical mechanism to play. Other than this and having the same name, the three banks are quite unlike, particularly appearance-wise. For classification purposes we have placed the banks in the following order—"Musical Savings Bank," "You pay—I play" easel or picture frame type, Figure 1, is No. 144; "The Musical Savings Bank" upright music box type, Figure 2, is No. 145; "Musical Savings Bank" "You pay—I play" house of building type, Figure 3, is No. 146.

Taking the banks in their numerical order we will first consider No. 144, Figure 1. L. C. Hegarty is the owner of this fine, completely original, Musical Savings Bank. It is made of wood, mainly walnut, with the frame front in a lighter color, like a light mahogany. As can be seen in the picture, ornate carved scrollwork is at the top and bottom of the frame along with a small amount on each side. The name, wording and center design work on the front wood panel are indented or stamped into the wood in gold. The locking key is shown inserted on the side of the bank and the entire back opens for removal of coins.

An original old catalog circa 1885 pictures and describes the Musical Savings Bank for sale. The catalog

was issued by John F. Stratton & Company, Importers, 49 Maiden Lane, New York, and Lipsig, Saxony. The text of the ad for the bank is as follows:

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No. 145, Figure 2, is also in fine complete original condition and is owned by Leon Perelman. The name "The Musical Savings Bank" appears on the ornate brass plate on the front base as shown in the picture. This plate also tells the story as to the manufacturer as the name "Regina" and "Trade Mark" is inscribed thereon. This bank, like other Regina music boxes, is a well made item and the photo herewith well illustrates its good sturdy construction. Mr. Perelman has a Montgomery Ward Catalog #67, Summer of 1900, which pic-

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as it isn't an authentic mechanical bank. It is simply a toy that has been converted into a bank. As a matter of fact the conversion of the Columbian Ferris Wheel into a savings device is still being done to date, and it does seem a shame to ruin a fine original toy in this fashion.

No. 146, Figure 3, is a well made wood bank in walnut with interesting carving of a bird and nest with eggs (note photo). The bank pictured is in fine original condition and is in the collection of Mrs. Mary Gerken. The name "Musical Savings Bank" and wording "You pay—I play" are stamped in gold on two pieces of leather and fit into the provided sections on the bank as shown. The bank operates the same as the two previously described—a coin, dropped in the chimney slot in the roof in this case, starts the musical mechanism to play. Dates, manufacturer, and so on concerning this bank are unknown to the best of the writer's knowledge. However, one pertinent piece of evidence is of importance. While the lettering of the names are not alike, please note Figure 1 and Figure 3 that the wording "You pay—I play" is identical. This is more than a coincidence and it is entirely possible that both banks were turned out by the same concern and in the same approximate time period.

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## TREASURE FINDS COULD AFFECT VALUES

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I understand another great find of treasure was made last summer when another of the Spanish Galleons, wrecked off of the Florida coast in the 1715 hurricane, was located and the treasure salvaged.

If more and more of these treasures are found, the quantity of coins being placed on the market, if not carefully controlled, could cause a serious drop in their values. The law of supply and demand would be bound to become effective.

There are many rumors in Florida of other possible treasures. A recent story is of a reputed treasure buried near where I reside.

The story says that a few years ago a man was going through some scrub on a small promontory when he came across an opening in the ground.

He entered, went down about 10 feet, and came to a wall of stone. He removed this and continued another 10 feet, and found a second wall. After this was removed, a third wall, too heavy to remove, was confronted.

At a later date he returned with a power shovel and dug directly on the other side of the last wall. When he had gone down around 10 feet he was accosted by the owner of the land, who had returned unexpectedly. The owner forced him to leave the site.

Thus endeth this story. And the famed treasure is supposed still to lie buried right at that spot.

I also have seen a photograph, taken years ago, of an old iron-bound sea chest on a beach, supposedly in

the Bahamas. The chest had been pried open and in front of it were stacked piles of coins.

This chest, now in the hands of a treasure seeker, had sketched on the boards at the bottom where no one would think of looking, the crude markings that located another supposed treasure not far off. This reputedly contained several Kegs of gold and silver coins. The location of these is clearly marked.

The hitch is that the latitudes and longitudes were done by the ancient method of using an astrolabe and it is difficult to transpose these readings to present day measurements. So the exact spot of the treasure is questionable.

Treasure seekers are most persistent people. In time, who can tell, they may meet with success.

The State of Florida claims 25 per cent of all treasure found. Suits now are filed claiming that Florida has no right to do this.

Without question, this will finally be decided by the United States Supreme Court. In the meantime, it has caused a cessation of the issuing of any more franchises to search for treasure, and part-time franchises have been refused renewal.

All coins that have been recovered, and even many of those already divided between the owners and the State, now are being held pending the Court's final decision. If it is ruled that the State of Florida had no right to claim 25 per cent of treasure found, all would have to be returned to those that found it.

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# FOREIGN GOLD COINS

COINS NOT LISTED AS UNC. OR PROOF ARE AT LEAST VF OR BETTER. OFTEN THESE TOO WILL BE UNC.

Argentina 5 Pesos 1891-1896	\$46.00
Austria 1893-1895 Sidney Mint	\$2.50
Austria 1 Ducat (proof)	7.50
Austria 4 Ducats (proof)	28.00
Austria 10 Kronen 10 Corona (uncirculated)	22.50
Austria 8 Florins or 20 Corona (Unc)	13.00
Austria 100 Corona (Unc)	62.00
Belgium 20 Francs Leopold II 1865	15.00
Belgium 20 Francs Leopold II 1865-1882	15.00
Bulgaria 20 Kronen Ferdinand I 1914 (Unc)	41.00
Bulgaria 20 Leva Ferdinand I 1894	41.00
Burundi 25 Francs (Unc)	27.00
Canada Sovereign Edward VII	41.00
Canada Sovereign George V (Unc)	20.00
Canada 5 Dollars George V	60.00
Chile 5 Pesos 1895-1920	20.00
Chile 100 Pesos (Unc)	20.00
Costa Rica 2 Colonos 1897-1928	20.00
Cuba 5 Pesos 1915-1946	30.00
Czechoslovakia 1 Kuna (Unc)	30.00
Danish West Indies 4 Dalers 1894-1895 (Unc)	14.00
Denmark 10 Kroner Frederick VIII 1906-1908	17.50
Denmark 20 Kroner Christian X 1912-1917	21.50
Dominican Republic 30 Pesos (Unc)	50.00
Egypt 10 Piastres Fouad I 1869	45.00
Egypt 10 Piastres Aswan Dam (Unc)	45.00
England Half Sovereign Victoria	11.00
England Half Sovereign Edward VII	11.00
England Half Sovereign Edward VII or George V	10.50
England Sovereign Edward VII or George V	15.00
England Sovereign Elizabeth II (Unc)	18.00
France 20 Francs Napoleon I 1795-1815	24.00
France 20 Francs Napoleon I	25.00
France 20 Francs Louis Nap. Bonaparte 1852	22.00
France 20 Francs Napoleon III 1870-1914	24.00
Gabon 25 Francs 1890 (Unc)	28.00
German East Africa 15 Rупes 1915	15.00
Ghana 20 Marks Wm. II 1884-1915	24.00
Ghana 5 Pounds (Unc)	39.00
Guatemala 5 Quetzales I 1884	75.00
Guatemala 5 Quetzales 1928	75.00
Hajaz 1 Dinar 1923	60.00
Hungary 10 Krona 1892-1915	15.00
Hungary 20 Krona 1892-1918	15.50
Hungary 100 Krona 1897-1908 (Unc)	135.00
Iceland 100 Kroner 1904 (Unc)	17.00
India Sovereign George V 1918	19.00
Ireland 100 Kroner Type (Unc)	15.00
Iran Pahlavi Lion Type (Unc)	15.50
Iran Pahlavi Portrait Type (Unc)	9.50
Iran Pahlavi Portrait Type (Unc)	9.50
Israel 20 Pounds Herzl (Unc)	83.00
Israel 20 & 100 Pounds Weizmann (proof) 20.00	
Italy 1 Lire Victor Emmanuel II 1861-1878	15.00
Italy 1 Lire Victor Emmanuel II 1878-1897	15.00
Italy 1 Lire Humbert I 1878-1897	15.00
Latvian 5 Francs (Unc)	37.00
Liberia 20 Dollars (Unc)	51.00
Luxembourg 10 Francs 1890-1914	28.00
Luxembourg 20 Francs Charlotte (Unc)	28.00
Luxembourg 20 Francs John (Unc)	18.00
Mexico 2 Pesos (Unc)	9.00
Mexico 2 1/2 Pesos (Unc)	4.50
Mexico 10 Pesos (Unc)	15.50
Mexico 20 Pesos (Unc)	28.00
Mexico 20 Pesos (Unc)	28.00
Monaco 20 Francs Charles III 1878-1879	63.00
Monaco 100 Francs Albert 1894-1904	105.00
Netherlands 10 Guilder Nicholas I 1910	15.00
Netherlands 10 Guilder Wm. III 1875-1889	17.00
Netherlands 10 Guilder Wilhelmina 1911-17 (Unc)	16.00
Netherlands 10 Guilder 1925-1933 (Unc)	18.00
Netherlands East Indies 1 Duka (Unc)	11.00
Newfoundland 2 Dollars 1870-1888	63.00
Niger 25 Francs (Unc)	22.00
Norway 20 Kroner Oscar II 1875-1902	37.00
Peru 1/5 Libra (Unc)	7.50
Peru 1/2 Sols (Unc)	15.00
Peru 100 Sols (Unc)	81.00
Philippines 4 Pesos Isabella 1891-1898	48.00
Poland 2 Zloty 1928 (Unc)	61.00
Poland 2 Zloty 1928 (Unc)	61.00
Portugal 500 Reis Louis I 1877-1889	22.00
Portugal 200 Reis Carlos I 1889 (Unc)	22.00
Romania 10 Lei Michael I 1861-1878	15.00
Russia 1 Rouble Nicholas II 1888-1894	21.00
Russia 5 Roubles Nicholas II 1897-1910	10.50
Russia 1/4 Roubles Nicholas II 1897	21.00
Russia 1 Rouble Nicholas II 1898-1911	19.00
Rwanda 25 Francs 1961 (Unc)	24.00
Sardinia 20 Lire Charles Albert	17.00
Sardinia 20 Lire V. Emmanuel II 1850-1861	17.00
Saudi Arabia 1 Guinea 1993 (Unc)	18.50
Saudi Arabia 1 Guinea 1897 (Unc)	18.50
Serbia 20 Dinars Milan I 1892	33.00
South Africa 2 Rands (Unc)	15.00
Spain 8 Escudos (Doubleton) Chas. IV 1789-1808	120.00
Spain 8 Escudos (Doubleton) Fern. VII 1808-1821	118.00
Spain 10 Pesetas Alfonso XIII 1875 (Unc)	10.00
Spain 10 Pesetas Alfonso XIII (Unc)	10.00
Spain 100 Pesetas Alfonso XIII 1897 (Unc)	70.00
Sweden 10 Kroner Oscar II 1873-1901	15.00
Sweden 20 Kroner Oscar II 1873-1901	15.00
Switzerland 20 Francs 1883-1898	15.00
Switzerland 20 Francs 1897 (Unc)	28.00
Syria Pound (Unc)	28.00
Tangiers 1 Hercules	75.00

# WANTED — OLD COINS

At Prices Listed, for Good or Better U.S. Coins

Half Cents		1913-D, 23-S	50	1914-D	50	1925-D, 31-S	25	1897-O-68	10.00
1793	130.00	1914-D	30.00	1915-S	4.00	1935-O-68	20	1897-O-68	10.00
1794-1797	30.00	1915-S	2.50	1936-S	1.00	1940-S	30	1901-S, 14-S	3.00
Others	4.50	1915-15-D	25	1917-S	1.50	1955-O-68	17	1912-14, 15	8.00
		1921-S, 24-S	30	1921-S	6.00	1955	100	1912-14, 15	8.00
		1922-D	6.00	1922-S	2.00			1913-D	3.00
		1924-D	6.00	1924-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1925-S	25.00	1925-S	2.00			1913-D	3.00
		1926-S	25.00	1926-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1927-S	25.00	1927-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1928-S	25.00	1928-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1929-S	25.00	1929-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1930-S	25.00	1930-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1931-S	25.00	1931-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1932-S	25.00	1932-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1933-S	25.00	1933-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1934-S	25.00	1934-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1935-S	25.00	1935-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
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		1938-S	25.00	1938-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
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		1940-S	25.00	1940-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1941-S	25.00	1941-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1942-S	25.00	1942-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1943-S	25.00	1943-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1944-S	25.00	1944-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1945-S	25.00	1945-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1946-S	25.00	1946-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1947-S	25.00	1947-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1948-S	25.00	1948-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1949-S	25.00	1949-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		1950-S	25.00	1950-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
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		2002-S	25.00	2002-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		2003-S	25.00	2003-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
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		2005-S	25.00	2005-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		2006-S	25.00	2006-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		2007-S	25.00	2007-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		2008-S	25.00	2008-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
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		2011-S	25.00	2011-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		2012-S	25.00	2012-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		2013-S	25.00	2013-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		2014-S	25.00	2014-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		2015-S	25.00	2015-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		2016-S	25.00	2016-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		2017-S	25.00	2017-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		2018-S	25.00	2018-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		2019-S	25.00	2019-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		2020-S	25.00	2020-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
		2021-S	25.00	2021-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00

Large Cents		1913-D, 23-S	50	1914-D	50	1925-D, 31-S	25	1897-O-68	10.00
1793	130.00	1914-D	30.00	1915-S	4.00	1935-O-68	20	1897-O-68	10.00
1794-1797	30.00	1915-S	2.50	1936-S	1.00	1940-S	30	1901-S, 14-S	3.00
Others	4.50	1915-15-D	25	1917-S	1.50	1955-O-68	17	1912-14, 15	8.00
		1921-S, 24-S	30	1921-S	6.00	1955	100	1912-14, 15	8.00
		1922-D	6.00	1922-S	2.00			1913-D	3.00
		1924-D	6.00	1924-S	3.00			1913-D	3.00
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# COIN QUIZ

By CHARLES FRENCH

**25c PER LETTER for answering coin questions. Send pencil rubbings. Do not send us the coins.**

## Question:

I am enclosing a rubbing of a coin or commemorative medal. Here is the story concerning the medal:

During the First World War, the Germans struck this coin in honor of Manfred von Richtofen, flyer. He shot down 80 allied planes, and was killed in aerial combat, April 12, 1918. On one side of the medal an arrow pierces the figure 89, and the date is given—April 12, 1918.

I have a photograph of a similar medal on page 409 of a volume printed in Germany in 1935 entitled "Das Buch der deutschen Flugeschichte" by Peter Supf. The photograph shows a medal which on one side is identical to the one which I have, however, on the other side the arrow pierces the figure 80, and the date is shown as April 21, 1918.

Around the edge of the coin is the legend, "Bayer Hauptmomanzamt Feinsilber."

I have checked with the man who gave me the coin, and he has another one identical to the one pictured in the book, with the correct number of victories (80) and the correct date,

(April 21, 1918) which has this same printing around the edge.

Inasmuch as the Germans were, and still are, proud of the number of victories that von R achieved, and that the date of Richtofen's death is still observed, it seems strange that these two important features would be incorrect.

Can you tell me anything about this, why the error, and how many were minted, or anything else you might know about it?

—R.L.C., Nebraska

Answer:

The only explanation I can make is that there are two varieties of this medal, one having been made in error with the wrong date and number of planes shot down and subsequently corrected, and again issued with the correct number. During the stress of War this could easily happen.

—C. F., New York

## Question:

Here are pencil rubbings of several medals and a pencil rubbing of a lock. Can you please evaluate these?

—E. E. B., North Dakota

Answer:

Your large silver medal of George III of England should be worth around \$12.50. The other silver one around \$10.00. The bronze medal of above would be worth around \$2.50. The pin and the lock being out of my line I cannot help you.

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Schlag was born in Frankfurt am Main and studied at the Royal Academy of Art in Munich for seven years. He had won many European art competitions before he left Germany in 1929 because of Hitlerism. He worked briefly in Detroit and then moved to Chicago in 1934 where he opened a studio to engage in sculpture.

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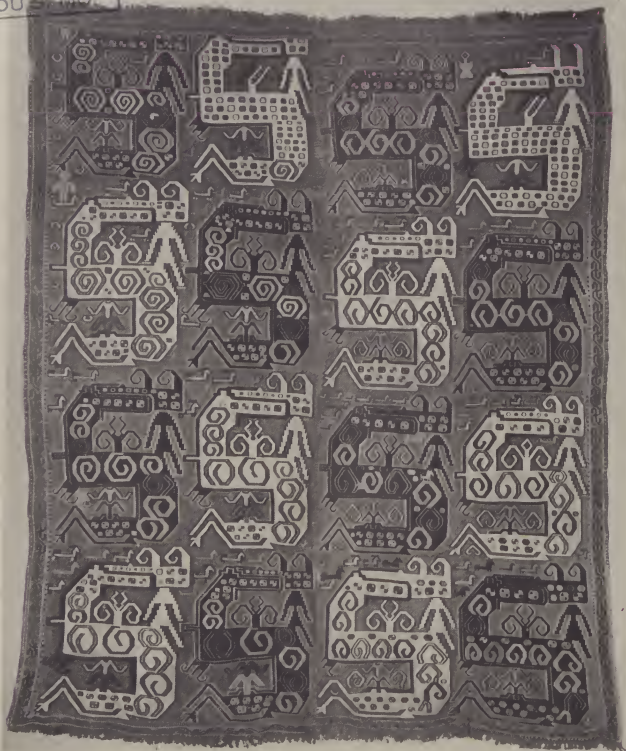
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# Old Mechanical Banks

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## Teddy and the Bear Bank

By F. H. GRIFFITH

A mechanical bank that has the unique distinction of being the only one to represent a former President of the United States is our choice as No. 147 in the numerical classification. Theodore Roosevelt, popularly known as Teddy, was an adventurer of the first order and a flamboyant controversial figure in his time. It is quite appropriate that an animated toy savings device, *Teddy And The Bear*, was made in representation of his hunting abilities. And, of course, the use of a bear on the bank at the time fit in completely with the popular toy *Teddy Bear* which was practically a must for children during its period of wide popularity. The bank, in addition to its unique representation of a President, has a number of other very desirable features. For example, it is a surprise type bank, the bear does not show until the bank is operated. It was designed by Bailey and is an outstanding example of his clever touch for designing mechanical banks. It is a very attractive, well made item and must be considered to be one of the most desirable of the mechanicals.

*Teddy And The Bear* was patented by Charles A. Bailey of Cromwell, Conn., February 19, 1907, and assigned by him to the National Novelty Corporation of Westfield, N.Y., a corporation of New Jersey. The J. & E. Stevens Company of Cromwell, Conn., were the manufacturers of the

bank. The patent papers in the case of this bank have a degree of interest. There are a total of six drawings that accompany the text, and the bank as produced by Stevens is practically identical to these drawings. However, there is one point of complete difference operation-wise between the text and the way the bank was made by Stevens. Following are two quotes from the text:

"A further object of the invention is to provide a bank in which two or more movable figures are so arranged as to be operated in successive order, or only the first may be set into motion as desired."

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This means that Bailey's original intent was that the gun shot the coin into the bank first and then second the bear's head protruded from the tree stump. The bank operates exactly opposite to this. The bear's head comes up first, then the gun fires. As a matter of fact, if one wishes to do so the bank can be operated so that only the bear's head comes out of the stump.

The bank shown is in fine original condition and colors of parts are as follows: The base is green with bronze highlighting and a brown stone-like representation thereon. The lettering of the name is in silver. The tree stump is dark brown streak-

ed with gold, and the coin slot area, as well as two other sections, are in yellow. The top movable cover of the stump is leaf-like in green and silver. The bear's head is a reddish brown with a red mouth and nostrils and white teeth and eyes. Teddy wears black shoes with green puttees having gold buttons. His breeches, jacket and hat are tan and his shirt is blue. The gun is silver with a brown stock. He has flesh color hands and face with red lower lip, brown mustache and gold glasses. All this adds up to an attractive, colorful bank.

The bank is pictured after the action has taken place. To operate *Teddy And The Bear* from the position shown, the bear's head is pushed down into the stump and the cover placed thereon. The piece along the top of the gun barrel that shoots the coin into the bank is pushed back along the barrel until it snaps into position. At the same time the head lowers as though taking aim. A coin is then placed on the gun barrel. The lever located between Teddy's legs is pressed forward all the way. When done in this fashion all parts work together. The coin is shot forward into the stump and Teddy snaps his head back as though looking at the bear whose head springs from the top of the tree trunk. If one desires noise to accompany the action, there is a provided section in the gun for exploding caps.

In closing it bears mention, as the writer has stated before, that some of the best and most interesting mechanical banks are those that are considered by collectors to be more or less common. *Teddy And The Bear* is an excellent example of this type of bank. It was a fine salable item to begin with and made over a period of years. Thus quantities were produced and logically numbers survived. In the accepted terminology of "common," the bank is not that readily available an item but specimens turn up now and then and new or less advanced collectors of today still have a good chance of finding a reasonably good specimen.

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training and may be said to have fairly brought her up on the trumpet.

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The fourth recording by Miss White in 1921 was *Agnus Dei*, by Bizet, but it was never issued. However, two more were made in 1926 and the record was made and issued but it was never listed in the monthly announcements or in the catalogs, as were many others, as recounted by Jim Walsh in a recent issue of *HOBBIES*.

This writer has this record:

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Edison catalog lists four recordings by the Aida Brass Quartet, made in 1924. However, upon listening to these, Edna White (Chandler) stated that the trumpet was not played by her. The name was apparently borrowed from her earlier organization, which had established such a great reputation.

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Silver shortages caused this change-over. The new coins benefit the Treasury, for their cost of production is considerably less than that of the silver ones. Thereby the new coins add to the profit.

Soon clad dimes will appear, and then half dollars that have been debased to a silver content of less than 50 percent.

Very possibly, in a short time, silver coins will go out of circulation. We have shown a tendency to hoard these because of their silver content; also they have a basic intrinsic value the new coins do not have.

Evidence of this already has appeared. Silver dollars, available a year ago at face value, are no longer obtainable without paying a premium. Half dollars rapidly are going out of circulation. The next to disappear will be quarters, and then dimes.

The price of silver, pegged at \$1.29 per ounce, is one of the reasons for

this hoarding. People feel that if a silver dollar has one ounce of silver, it therefore should be worth \$1.29. While this may be true, smelting charges are such that the actual return would only be \$1.

Hoarders think the coins they have will become numismatic items of rarity. That insofar as the coins are no longer in circulation, they must be rare, and consequently worth a premium. People forget that the quantities hoarded take the coins out of the rare category.

Such has been the case with many series in the past. Rumors persist that all Franklin half dollars are worth a premium because they were not made for 25 years. Silver Kennedy halves are treated the same.

During the uncertain times of the 1929-1933 depression many people hoarded gold to such an extent the government had to pass a law prohibiting hoarding. That same tendency is now operating with our silver coins.

Many of us like to feel that it is a "safe" investment to have one's money in hard cash of a basic intrinsic value, to hedge against the danger of inflation.

The fault with this theory is that the cost of storage, and lack of interest return, well can eat up any possible benefits such a hoard can offer. Add to this the fact that if our economy were to drop to such depths as to compel us to resort to hard cash we all would be in such dire straits a few thousands in silver coins would hardly alleviate the situation.

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## Question:

Hope my rubbings are good enough. Have not done that in years and years. What do I have?

—W.B.R., Kentucky

## Answer:

These are simply brass tokens, the Lindbergh one worth about 25c, the other 50c.

—C. F., New York

## Question:

I am enclosing a rubbing of an 1/4-inch-thick copper coin. It is very crudely made and is not perfectly round. However, it does not seem to be damaged or unduly worn or corroded.

Can you tell me where it comes from and how old it is?

—J.R., New York

## Answer:

Your coin is from a native Indian State, either Gwalior, Jodhpur or Navanganer, 19th century, value about 50 cents.

—C. F., New York

## Question:

Could you tell me if these bills are worth anything?

—D.P., N. Y.

## Answer:

Your \$10 Confederate note, retails for \$2; \$20—\$2; \$100—\$4; \$500—\$15. The other obsolete notes retail from \$2 to \$3 each. The Wisconsin note is scarcer retailing for \$5. These prices are for notes in very fine condition, if badly used they would be worth less.

The 1919 cent in good condition retails for around 20 cents, but is a poor seller.

The 1915 D cent which seems to be in a little better condition at present retails for around 50c.

The "half" of bill would be mutilated and valueless.

—C. F., New York

## Question:

Recently I purchased a box called "Biblical Museum" from an auction, and in it were spices and herbs collected from Bible lands, and also the coins of the Bible. I am wondering if they are just copies of the real coins, or could it be they are the actual old coins? They look too new to be that old. Are they worth anything if they are just copies?

This Biblical Museum was dated by hand writing, "Sept. 30, '91." The coins are a Roman tribute penny or denarius, a quadrans or widow's mite, and a shekel. See pencil rubbings. Would appreciate any information on them.

—N.G., Massachusetts

## Answer:

I cannot tell from the pencil rubbings as to whether they are genuine or not. They do seem to be in excellent condition. The shekel seems to be too sharp and round, which indicates that it is a copy. If you care to send them to me with adequate insurance and postage for their return I will be glad to inspect them.

—C.F., New York

## Question:

Is it possible that you might have an answer or some information about a certain item I have?

I happen to be the possessor of a bust of some President, so it seems from looking at it. It has been in my possession since I was a young lad, and I am 52 at present.

For the most part of 40 years, I have been going around to the different antiques shops and the like but have never seen anything like it anywhere. It was made from macerated United States currency. The only thing I could find out was that it may have been privately made. Would you have any information as to its age and value? It stands 5 1/2" high.

—L.F.C., New Hampshire

## Answer:

Years ago, cancelled and macerated paper money was pressed into all kinds of busts, statues of Liberty, etc., etc., and sold to tourists. This primarily was done in Washington. There is a numismatic interest in these and if the condition of yours is nice, it would be worth around \$5.

—C.F., New York

## Question:

Enclosed is a pencil drawing of what I think may be a coin. Will you tell me what it is and if of any value?

Your articles on coins are most interesting. I look forward to HOBBIERS and every page of its printed message.

—Mrs. I.J.H., South Dakota

## Answer:

The coin you have is a German one kreutzer piece currently retailing for around 15 cents.

—C.F., New York

## Question:

Enclosed are rubbings of a copper coin, and either a coin or medal. I'd like identified. Since I did a poor pencil rubbing job, I have written out lettering near the rubbings.

Regarding the large brass on base gold piece you will note that no value is shown. A Francis II reigned over some parts of Austro-Hungary 1793-1835. If this is he the 4 crowns would indicate 4 provinces or countries.

—A.J.R., Indiana

## Answer:

The Francis II coin you say is either brass or base gold. If it is brass it is a counterfeit, if gold it is a recent restrike. This particular piece is better known in silver and valued around \$5. It is called a thaler. The German State half stuber is worth 25 cents.

—C.F., New York

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**Question:**

I am sending to you the description of two German medals, one bronze and the other one, the larger, is of silver. Can you give me the value of these pieces and tell me what they commemorate?

—D.M.C., Ohio

**Answer:**

The impressions were of little use. Pencil rubbings are more successful. The silver medal seems to commemorate an art academy in Berlin. It probably is worth around \$5 if you can find someone that collects these. The bronze one would retail for around \$1.50, and while I cannot translate the German on the reverse well, seems to be in commemoration of a group of people who must have been celebrities of some sort.

—C.F., New York

**Question:**

I'm not sending a pencil rubbing, as coin is described in Yeoman's 5th Edition Book under France, Y 26 exactly, only instead of silver, coin is a gold piece, 1859. Obverse and reverse the same as photo of coin in Yeoman's Book. If you would like, I will send you the coin to see if it's gold plated, but I'm sure it is gold. Could you tell me what is that?

—N.R., New York

**Answer:**

If the denomination on the reverse of your coin is the same as the illustration it must be a gold-plated piece, for French gold pieces are in 10 and 20 franc denominations of that size.

—C.F., New York

**Question:**

Will you please check coin rubbings enclosed and let me know their value?

—S.H.W., New York

**Answer:**

Your coin is a Canadian large cent dated 1859 and currently retails for 50 cents. There are, however, varieties in the date of this coin that possibly could make it worth more. To determine this the coin would have to be inspected.

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**Question:**

I have a coin that isn't listed in my coin book. It is ¾" in diameter. Gold. On the front there is a picture of an Indian surrounded by stars. On the back there is a wreath with ¼ in it. Below the wreath it says, Cal. Gold 1855. How much is it worth?

—L.R., Missouri

**Answer:**

There are many copies of California gold fractional coins and yours may be one of these. If it has the denomination on the back such as ¼ dol. or ½ dollar, the word Dol or dollar upon the coin, it is most likely genuine. But if it simply has the fraction ¼, it most likely is a charm and only worth a dollar or two. If genuine it would be worth around \$20.

—C.F., New York

**Question:**

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—Mrs. R.U., Ontario, Canada

**Answer:**

Your stamps are fantasies from a non-existent country. They most likely were printed behind the Iron Curtain and are of no value.

—C.F., New York

**Question:**

Enclosed rubbings of more coins. Would you please identify them as to origin, metal, and value? These are in better condition. Hope it will make it easier for you. Thank you very much.

—S.T.T., New Hampshire

**Answer:**

#1 Egyptian 5 milliemos, nickel, worth 5 cents.

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No. 3 same, No. 4 same, No. 5 same.

No. 6 France 10 centimes, either nickel or brass alloy 5 cents.

#7 same.

—C.F., New York

**Question:**

Above is pencil rubbing of a 1939 Liberty Head dime. It is larger, thicker than other dimes. It is the same size as a penny. Please give value, and any detail, etc. Thanks.

—A.H., Kentucky

**Answer:**

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Catalogs and advertising cards were two mediums used by manufacturers, distributors, jobbers and retail stores to promote the sale of mechanical banks. During the height of the popular period of mechanical banks, say from 1880 to 1910, many catalogs were issued which pictured and listed the interesting animated toy savings devices for sale. Please understand there were catalogs of this nature prior to 1880 and after 1910, but the 30 year period mentioned is undoubtedly the most active. These catalogs today are quite desirable to collectors of mechanical banks and are a kindred hobby. They have become increasingly difficult to find and paper material of this type has never been easy to come by. Particularly difficult and the most desirable are those catalogs issued by the manufacturers of mechanical banks.

Along with the catalogs and of similar nature are the advertising cards, sometimes referred to as flyers or fliers. These were often sent through the mail along with letters, other material, or invoices. They were also given out by hand by drummers and other means of distribution. In the strict terminology they were not all cards, as many were simply printed on paper in blue, brown,

black, and other color ink. Numbers of the cards were lithographed in brilliant colors and are most attractive. In many ways, today and for some years past, the mechanical bank advertising cards are considerably harder to come by than the old catalogs. This is understandable as catalogs, particularly those issued by stores, fashion houses such as 'Ehrichs', and so on were kept as reference for years since they showed numbers of items other than toy banks. An advertising card showing a mechanical bank was definitely a disposable item unless now and then a brightly colored one found its way into a scrap book. And this, by the way, is where some do turn up.

More or less advanced collectors of mechanical banks are familiar with the advertising cards and in most cases have some in limited numbers showing different banks. There are many less advanced collectors, however, who are not familiar with the cards, and for their enlightenment, as well as others, we are picturing herewith several original J. & E. Stevens Company advertising cards. They are in fine original condition and those shown are self-explanatory. In size the cards are approximately  $3\frac{1}{2}$  x 5".

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We, in America, are used to such terms as "dollars," "pounds," "shillings," and "pence;" "francs," "lire," "marks," "rubles," and "pesos." These odd denominations, strange as they seem to us, are well-known to millions of people throughout the world.

Were you to live in India or the native Indian States, you would be spending rupees and getting 3 pies for 1 pice (paisa), 12 pies for 1 anna, 16 annas for 1 rupee, and 15 rupees for 1 gold mohur of which you would see very few.

To confuse matters further, kutch has 24 "dokda" equalling 1 "kori," and 48 "trambiyo" equalling 1 "kori."

Travancore gives 16 "cash" for 1 "chuckram," 4 "chuckram" for 1 "fanam," and 8 "fanams" for 1 "rupee," many of which you might get in change.

In Israel you would trade with the "pound," broken up to 100 "agora" or 1000 "pruta." In Japan its old 100 sen equalled 1 yen.

North and South Viet Nam would confuse you with "xu," "hao," and "dong" coins, all of rather low exchange values.

Communist China uses the "yuan" made of 100 "fen." The "yuan" is worth approximately 42 cents.

In Korea you would receive in

change 5 "yangs" for 1 "whan," and 100 "fun" for 1 "yang."

Jordan would give you 100 "fils" for a "dinar." Bulgaria exchanges 100 "stotinki" for 1 "lev."

Chinese Turkestan gets 10 "miscals" for 1 "tael." Thailand trades 8 "fuangs," 64 "atts," or 100 "satangs," for one "tical," also known as a "bhatt."

Britain and its colonies for centuries have adhered to the English pound, a confused series of denominations, consisting of four farthings to the penny, 12 pence to the shilling, 20 shillings to the pound or gold sovereign, 21 shillings to the gold guinea.

There are no longer any guineas coined but the term is still used by stores when they offer merchandise for sale.

The league of British nations has gradually been changing to the decimal system, forsaking the pound, and adopting the familiar 100 cents to the dollar denominations. Britain, itself, is planning to make this change within the next few years.

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Years ago many coins received nicknames. Probably the best known today, are the "pieces of eight" given to the silver Spanish 8 real coins.

Gold "doublons" were originally 4-escudo pieces. The 8-escudo pieces,

we commonly call "doublons" today, were known as "double doubloons."

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# Old Mechanical Banks

Conducted by F. H. GRIFFITH

## Indian and Bear Bank

By F. H. GRIFFITH

A mechanical bank with a very fine representation of an Indian is our choice as No. 148 in the numerical classification. This is the Indian And Bear Bank, one of three known mechanicals that have an Indian as part of their subject matter. The other two are Chief Big Moon (HOBBIES, March, 1965) and the World's Fair Bank (HOBBIES, April, 1966). As can be seen in the photo, Figure 1, the Indian is exceptionally well detailed with a handsome set of feathers down his back, tomahawk in his belt, buckskin trousers, feather headdress, and so on. It bears mention at this point that when one of these banks turns up the back feathers are more often missing than not. There are two reasons for this — they are not too securely fastened to begin with, and they are rather fragile and subject to easy breakage.

Patent papers may exist on the Indian And Bear, but so far the writer has been unsuccessful in locating them. On the underbase of the bank pictured there appears in large block letters the wording 'Pat. Pend'g', but this is of no help other than the possibility that a patent was granted. There is every likelihood the Indian And Bear was designed by Charles A. Bailey, although we did not include it among his banks in the article titled "Bailey's Banks" (HOBBIES, February, 1963). The bank was made by J. & E. Stevens Company of Cromwell, Conn., and was one of their good sellers and popular for a number of years.

The bank pictured, Figure 1, is

completely original and in fine condition. The bright attractive colors are as follows: The base is green with a dark brown tree stump. The Indian wears a red jacket with yellow fringe down the sleeves. He has a string of white animal teeth around his neck and yellow, blue and white feathers in his headdress and down his back. A loop in brown hangs from his right arm, the gun is black, and his moccasins are brown. The tomahawk in his brown belt has a gold hatchet head and brown handle. He wears tan buckskin trousers with yellow fringe down the side. The bear is an all over light brown with red mouth and white teeth and eyes. His claws are black and a green trailing vine up the right side of the bear completes the coloring.

The bank as shown in Figure 1 is ready for action. The gun mechanism



Fig. 1

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Fig. 2

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Now please refer to Figure 2 and what the writer hopes will prove to be a pleasant surprise to a number of readers of these articles. Pictured is an original advertising card or flyer of the Indian And Bear Bank. Last month's article, July, covered advertising cards in detail. In any event, some years ago the writer was fortunate enough to obtain from Mr. Frisbee of the J. & E. Stevens Company a limited number of original Indian And Bear cards. His good fortune will now be shared with 20 HOBBIES readers. The first 20 letters received by the writer will be given one each of these original cards.

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# Numismatics

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## BRITISH COIN HISTORY

By CHARLES FRENCH

After having introduced civilization to the British Isles, Rome's legions were suddenly withdrawn. This left the British in a very chaotic state.

It was some time before the Anglo-Saxons were able to pick up the remaining threads of civilization and commence their own coinage.

The first Anglo-Saxon coins were tiny, crude silver and copper sceats and half sceats valued at 20 to the shilling. Designs were very crude and copied after those of the earlier Roman denarii. These coins were used from around 500 A.D. through the middle of the eighth century.

Silver pennies were first coined around that time. They became the principle medium of exchange for several centuries after that.

England consisted of many small kingdoms and all had their own coins.

The Anglo-Saxon coinage stopped with the Norman conquest of England, in 1066, by William the Conqueror. The Normans continued the use of the silver penny for several centuries, however.

It was not until the time of Henry IV in the 14th century that a larger coin, the groat, appeared. Made up of four pennies, groats were the principle coins of Britain until Edward VI first struck his crown.

Gold coins were struck by Offa, King of Mercia (757-796); Wigmund, Archbishop of York (837-854); Aethelred II (979-1016); Edward the Confessor (1042-1066); and under Norman rule, Henry III (1216-1272). They were in very limited supply, however, and extremely rare.

It was not until the latter part

of the rule of Edward III in the 14th century that gold coins began to appear in larger quantities.

One can appreciate England's rise to power through her coinage from that time on. Designs improved, coining processes improved. More and larger denominations began to appear. The crown, half crown, and shilling became the principle denominations in silver.

Gold nobles with their king in a crude ship, and angels, showing St. Michael slaying a dragon, were gradually replaced by the larger sovereigns and rylals. These were ultimately followed by the golden guineas of Charles II.

The most beautiful piece of the early series was the crown of Edward VI, a sharply struck coin with the King in armor holding a sword on a prancing horse.

Queen Elizabeth's crown, with bust facing left shows her in ornate royal robes, and with crown and scepter. Note the beautifully struck crown of Oliver Cromwell.

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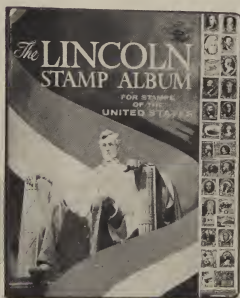
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# COIN QUIZ

By CHARLES FRENCH

**25c PER LETTER for answering coin questions. Send pencil rubbings. Do not send us the coins.**

## Question:

I have an 1860 Indian Head penny. I was told to write to you under Coin Quiz to find the value of it. It is in quite good condition but dark and I don't know where to look for the mint mark. Thanks in advance.

—G. B., Michigan

## Answer:

In Good condition an Indian cent of 1860 retails for \$2.

—C. F., New York

## Question:

Gold-colored coin. Could you please help me to find out what it is and if it has any value? As you can see the coin is in poor condition. See pencil rubbings and drawing. Side 1 looks like a figure of Atlas holding up something. Side 2 has an outline of North and South America and the initials U.S.A. Below U.S.A. there appears to be more lettering but I cannot make it out.

—J. H. B., Ohio

## Answer:

You have an official medal of the Pan American Exposition, held in Buffalo, N.Y., in 1901. The obverse is a figure of an Indian with arm upraised and astride a soaring eagle. The reverse is a relief map of the Western hemisphere with the wording Pan American Exposition - Buffalo, N.Y. USA/May 1-Nov. 1 MDCCD 1. These medals catalog in brass at \$25 Uncirculated, but yours appears to be so badly worn there would be little or no value.

—C. F., New York

## Question:

Could you kindly identify these five silver coins and give the value of each, if possible. See pencil rubbings.

—J. A. C., Maryland

## Answer:

The 1634 coin is hard to read but it apparently is a silver half thaler of Netherlands under Philip III of Spain. Its value in Very Good condition would be around \$3.50.

The second coin is an ecu of Louis XV of France 1746 and in Fine condition retails for around \$6.

The third piece is a half thaler of Joseph II of Austria, Holy Roman Emperor of 1789. It retails for around \$1.50 in Good condition.

The fourth coin is a 15 sous coin of King Louis XVI of France (the year or two before the French Revolution). It retails for around 75c.

If the 1634 piece has a hole in it, which it seems to have, it would be worth very little.

—C. F., New York

## Question:

Enclosed is a rubbing of a coin (I guess). Could you identify it and has it any value? For what I know about metals it appears to be bronze.

—Mrs. J. J. J., Michigan

## Answer:

The coin you have is a Brazilian copper coin of 1787 under Queen Marie of Portugal. This coin apparently has a counterstamp upon it from another country (which I cannot read). This was frequently done in those days when shortages of coins necessitated one country legalizing another's coinage. The coin is worth around \$1.50.

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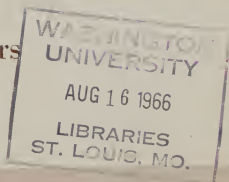
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# Old Mechanical Banks

Conducted by F. H. GRIFFITH

## New Bank

By F. H. GRIFFITH

The designer, or possibly the manufacturer, of the mechanical bank which is our choice as No. 149 in the numerical classification most likely felt that the name 'New' would best describe what was felt to be a different or new type mechanical bank. The writer has often pondered as to why this name was chosen and this would seem to be the only logical explanation. After all, Guard Bank or Watchman Bank, in either case, would be a much more appropriate or fitting name. Be that as it may, the New Bank is a very attractive building-type savings device, and while there is not much action involved, it is completely appropriate as to the idea of protecting ones savings.



The New Bank is more or less a companion piece to the U. S. Bank (HOBBIES, January, 1958). The buildings are similar in appearance, the paint is the same type done in the same fashion, and the same brass metal stamping of the watchman or policeman is in the doorway of each. At the time of writing the article on the U. S. Bank the writer had no information whatsoever as to the background of either bank. Since then he has been able to shed some light on the situation. There is a still bank known as the Metropolitan Bank, and this utilizes the same brass stamped figure as the U. S. and New Banks. The Metropolitan fortunately was covered by a design patent and there is no question but that all three were designed by the same individual. The design patent was issued to Anthony M. Smith of Brooklyn, New York, January 23, 1872. This covered a design for a toy safe wherein the watchman (this terminology for the brass figure was used in the original patent text) stood in a niche beside the safe door. He did not move and the patent was for a still bank. This fact is brought



out since a few Metropolitan Banks have been converted to mechanicals in somewhat recent times, and, of course, these are simply fakes. The Metropolitan is a very nice still bank as such, and in its original state has a certain value. Why anyone would want to fake it into a mechanical seems somewhat beyond reason. It bears mention that in the altered version the figure moves slightly forward when the door of the safe is opened.



The New Bank shown is in fine original condition and painted as follows: The overall building is green with the inside of the bottom base section in dark blue. Brown edging is around the square foundation section. The front windows are red, as is the edging of the doorway and the sections which contain the name. The

top and bottom of the door and windows are done in white, as is the name 'New Bank'. The top cup-shaped part of the roof is black, the dome is red with a black line around the bottom, and then comes a section in blue. Below this is roofing in white, then a green band, and finally another roof section in red. The figure is a gold color and he is fastened to an inside section painted in blue. The operating lever with a red hand completes the coloring of a very bright, attractive bank.



The operation of the New Bank could hardly be more simple or appropriate. A lever is pressed to the operator's left and in so doing the figure moves to the side and a coin slot appears in the open doorway. A coin is then deposited and on releasing the lever the figure snaps back into place as though guarding the deposit.



In closing, so that the writer does not receive letters from some individuals defending what they think to be a mechanical Metropolitan Bank, let this be said for the record. The writer knows who, when and where some Metropolitan Banks were converted to mechanicals. It is very obvious that threaded parts are not original and to date the writer has never seen a Metropolitan Bank in its complete original state in other than a still bank. It is extremely unlikely that it was ever originally made otherwise.

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28. Flower button of transparent Plastic which imitates glass. Brass escutcheon and shank. c. 1945.

29. Pictorial Modern Plastic: a palm tree rendered in cream color, with cut-out background. c. 1950.

30. Another curious and unidentified button of Modern Plastic; one-piece, slightly convex with metal shank. The face is composed of semi-transparent layers in several colors. It is rather a pretty button, but does not show up well in the photograph. c. 1915.

It would be a help to collectors if the different Compositions could all be identified and appropriately named. I have neither the desire nor the qualifications to undertake such a project, but for anyone who enjoys research, Composition Buttons offer a fertile field.

Even if I am ignorant of their make-up, I like Composition Buttons. Many of the older types are beautiful, in their unassuming way. The "Imitations" are especially ingenious, and are a tribute to the button makers' skill. Some of the Modern Plastics are bright and cheerful; and even the less attractive varieties serve a purpose: they remind us that buttons, like people, can't always be beautiful. But—also like people—they can be useful and interesting, if given a chance!

—Dorothy Foster Brown

\* See "The Old Button Box" by Luscombe and Cassidy (pp. 89, 90, 143, 144.)

\*\*A name given to some types of celluloid buttons.



# Numismatics

Conducted by CHARLES FRENCH

## One Phase of History Well Told By The Taler

By CHARLES FRENCH

The Holy Roman Empire established the taler as a standard unit as early as 1524. Talers were the first silver coins struck of their size, and the first similar to our present day silver dollars. Taler is the original name from which "dollar" was derived.

Talers are extremely popular due to the wide variety of designs, and their interesting historic background. They are credited with having been the first coins dated according to the Christian Calendar.

Brunswick-Luneburg and Brunswick-Wolfenbützel as well as a few other states struck multiples of the taler, large ornately designed coins of 2, 4, 8, and 16 talers. They were usually struck as presentation pieces and for special events.

While there were some gold coins, they were in limited supply the popular medium of exchange being the silver taler.

In the 18th century, Germany consisted of a mass of small principalities, under the loose rule of the Holy Roman Empire. The large number can be attributed to the custom of a local baron subdividing his holdings among his sons, rather than leaving the rule to the eldest.

This constant division by barons encouraged many local wars, and kept the country in constant turmoil. From 1700 to 1800 there were around 120 different principalities, free cities, and bishoprics issuing coins of different design.

For the most part, the coin designs were very attractive. The majority have upon their obverse, the bust of the ruler in various garb with legends partially abbreviated

around the exergue. Their reverses also consisted of many designs. Most had the royal arms of the family represented. Many, however, had scenes of cities, equestrians, animals and many other unusual and unique designs, surrounded by the denominations and date of the coins. Brunswick-Wolfenbützel talers are well known for the "Wild Man" design. These talers have a design on the obverse of a full sized figure of a "wild" man facing with legs wide apart in breech clout and fur cap, holding a tree that was apparently uprooted by him.

The most interesting are the many varieties that have scenes of the cities as they were at the time of coinage. They have wonderful detail showing spires, houses, rivers and shipping.

Others illustrate stallions, lions, eagles, stags, bears, figures of knights, and armored horsemen. Bishopric and religious pieces have the Madonna and Child, Saints, Angels, and Papal Arms. "Shooting" talers were frequently coined in odd shapes, square, octagonal, and diamond. Legends were usually abbreviated and in Latin.

As times passed many of the smaller states became absorbed, and by 1800 their coins were greatly reduced in their variety. The confederation of the Rhine during the Napoleonic Wars reduced them to 39 states. Then in 1871 the German Empire, predominated by Prussia, reduced their number to 25. The coinage of the individual states ceased with the advent of the German Republic after World War I.

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—C. F., New York

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Belgium 20 Francs Leopold II 1869-1882	15.00
Belgium 20 Francs Albert I 1914 (Unc.)	24.00
Bulgaria 1 Serium (unc.)	27.00
Bulgaria 20 Leva Ferdinand I 1894	41.00
Burundi 25 Francs (unc.)	47.00
Canada Sovereign Edward VII	27.00
Canada Sovereign George V (unc.)	25.00
Canada 5 Dollars (unc.)	29.00
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Chile 100 Pesos (unc.)	40.00
Colombia 5 Pesos 1919-1930	40.00
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Czechoslovakia 2 Ducats (Protop) 1928 unc.	42.00
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Denmark 20 Kroner Christian X 1913-1917	21.00
Democrat Republic 30 Pesos (unc.)	30.00
Egypt Republic 100 Piastres (unc.)	45.00
Egypt 100 Piastres Aswan Dam (unc.)	50.00
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England Half Sovereign Edward VII or George V	17.00
England Sov. Edward VII or George V	14.00
England Sov. Elizabeth II (unc.)	25.00
Finland 10 Markka 1878-1913 (unc.)	40.00
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France 20 Francs Louis Napoléon Bonaparte 1852	25.00
France 20 Francs Roster Type 1899-1914	15.00
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Germany 20 Marks Win. II 1888-1915	24.00
Ghana 5 Pounds (unc.)	60.00
Greece 20 Drachma George I 1884	21.00
Guatemala 5 Quetzales 1928	75.00
Haiti 1 Dinar 1923	60.00
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Hungary 20 Korona 1892-1915	15.00
Hungary 100 Korona 1907-1908 (unc.)	135.00
Iceland 500 Kroner (unc.) 1901	37.50
India Sovereign George V 1918	18.00
Iran Half Pahlavi Lion Type (unc.)	9.00
Iran Pahlavi Lion Type (unc.)	15.50
Iran Pahlavi Portrait Type (unc.)	14.00
Iran 5 Pahlavi Portrait Type (unc.)	147.50
Israel 20 Pounds Hea (unc.)	14.00
Israel 50 & 100 Pounds Weizmann (proof)	210.00
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Italy 20 Lire Victor Emanuel II 1867-1878	15.00
Italy 20 Lire Humbert I 1879-1887	15.00
Kalanga 5 Francs (unc.)	51.00
Liberia 20 Dollars (unc.)	51.00
Liechtenstein 10 & 20 Francs (unc.) set	65.00
Lebanon 20 Francs Charles (unc.)	24.00
Luxembourg 20 Francs John (unc.)	18.00
Mexico 2 1/2 Pesos (unc.)	3.75
Mexico 5 Pesos (unc.)	9.00
Mexico 10 Pesos (unc.)	18.50
Mexico 20 Pesos (unc.)	28.00
Mexico 50 Pesos (unc.)	60.00
Monaco 20 Francs Charles III 1878-1879	51.00
Monaco 100 Francs Albert I 1881-1904	105.00
Montenegro 10 Perpara Nicholas I 1910	17.00
Netherlands 10 Gulden Wilhel III 1879-1889	17.00
Netherl. 10 Old. Wilhel III 1911-1917 (unc.)	16.00
Netherlands 10 Gulden Wilhel III 1879-1889	17.00
Netherlands 5 Francs (unc.)	11.00
Norway 20 Dollars 1870-1888	63.00
Norway 25 Francs (unc.)	25.00
Norway 20 Kroner Oscar II 1870-1902	44.50
Peru 1/2 Solos (unc.)	7.50
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Portugal 5,000 Reis Louis I 1867-1869	51.00
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Romania 20 Lei Michael I (unc.)	18.00
Russia 5 Roubles Alexander III 1886-94	17.00
Russia 5 Roubles Nicholas II 1897-1910	16.50
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Sweden 20 Kroner Oscar II 1873-1901	31.00
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Switzerland 20 Francs 1887-1900 (unc.)	17.50
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Turkey 50 Piastres Ataturk (unc.)	9.00
Turkey 250 Piastres Ataturk (unc.)	34.50
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## SILVER CENTER

Box 22-171-H

San Francisco, Calif. 94122

## Question:

I am writing to ask for information on a 1914 white cent that I have. It is uncirculated and in extra fine condition. It is as bright and clean as the day it left the mint.

Would it be a pattern and trial design? Do you know the correct value of this cent? Thank you very much.

—Mrs. S.T.T., New Hampshire

## Answer:

I sincerely doubt that your cent is a trial or pattern piece for none are known around that time. It most likely has been plated. Many cents are found zinc coated by some individual.

—C. F., New York

## Question:

Enclosed are some rubbings of coins which are not worn, with the exception of the copper one and the most interesting one to me. Would you please identify the origin, metal and value?

—E.V.J., Connecticut

## Answer:

The first coin is a Belgian franc of World War I, value 5 cents. The second is a Netherlands 1 centime coin of little value. The third is a Netherlands 10 cent coin of the War. And the last is a Belgian 1 franc coin. All these currently retail at around 5 cents each.

—C. F., New York

## Question:

Twenty-five years ago in Rome my husband bought a few old coins from a merchant in a very small store.

Enclosed are pencil rubbings of 8 of these coins. Actually the coins are more legible than the rubbings come out. Some of the coins are quite thick — and do look very old. I'm wondering about approximate age and value. Thank you.

—Mrs. L. R., Michigan

## Answer:

I am having difficulty seeing the first coins of your pencil rubbings. I can say that the one is the double-headed Janus, an early Roman bronze coin, there is a question as to whether your piece is genuine due to the initials "ba." I believe it is a copy. I also know of no genuine coin of this era with an elephant upon it. I presume all the pieces are bronze or copper, all the others, excepting the 1629 coin, are either Roman small bronzes or medium bronzes of various rulers whose names I cannot read. The 1629 coin is an Italian state's medieval piece. None of these in the poor condition illustrated are worth much over 25 cents to 50 cents each.

—C. F., New York

## Question:

I would like to know the value of a 3-cent Fractional Currency (Washington), Act of March 3, 1863. The currency is intact though there are creases where it has been folded.

—Mrs. H. C., Massachusetts

## Answer:

If creased it most likely is in very fine condition and as such your 3 cent bill retails for around \$2.

—C. F., New York

## Question:

Due to a fire in my home my collection of U.S. coins - not the older ones - was damaged. You can tell just about whether they were cents, nickels, or silver coins. Is there a way the Government would replace these coins and where should I write?

—A.C.B., Illinois

## Answer:

I would suggest that you take these mutilated coins to your local bank. They should be able to send them to the Treasury Department for you for redemption together with a letter of explanation as to how they became mutilated. The other source that can be contacted would be the United States Mint, Philadelphia, Pa.

—C. F., New York

## Question:

I am enclosing a Zerox copy of one side of a piece of paper money found in an old Philadelphia slant-front desk. The other side is very ornate, and has the date 1789, also the words One Penny Specie and Printed by B. F. Bache, Philadelphia, etc.

All I can find out is that there was a Bank of North America chartered May 26, 1781, by the First Continental Congress and that it was the first bank chartered in the U.S.

Two local dealers have looked it up in every book they have on paper etc., and cannot find it.

—N. P., New Jersey

## Answer:

This note is a piece of Colonial fractional currency. Notes issued by the Continental Congress and the Colony of Pennsylvania are well-known and fully listed; however, private or bank issues such as you have are not. In fact very little is known about them. It is, therefore, difficult for me to place an accurate value upon your note.

I would venture to say however that if it is in excellent condition, as it seems to be, it would be worth around \$5 or so.

—C. F., New York

## Question:

Enclosed you'll find a pencil rubbing of a coin I am in possession of. I would appreciate any information you could give me concerning same. It is the son of Maria Theresa, Joseph II. Thank you in advance.

—D.A., Nebraska

## Answer:

Your coin is a thaler of Joseph II of Austria of 1784. It currently retails for around \$5. Quantity coined is unknown.

—C. F., New York

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**Wanted:** Any historical material relating to any Western State, Hawaii, or Alaska. Books, broadsides, letters, diaries, business ledgers, early newspapers, advertisements, prints, paintings, anything else. Send for Want List. Argonaut, 336 Kearney St., San Francisco, Calif. au126543

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# Old Mechanical Banks

Conducted by  
F. H. GRIFFITH

## The Indian and Bear Card

By F. H. GRIFFITH

Where to start? How does one begin to tell about an interesting experience, because that's what the advertising cards give away, or call it what you will, turned out to be. The response, for example, far exceeded any thought the writer had in this area. He was swamped with mail in the matter of a few days. In a way this is great, but then in another way there will be quite a few disappointed people around since 20 cards were allocated on a "first 20 request" basis.

Some of the letters were of considerable interest and some were strange. It's odd how certain people will put their own interpretation into something they have read that is quite specific and clear. For example, a number of letters received did not contain return envelopes, and other requests were simply on a postcard. In either case, these were what you might call disqualified. In one case there was only an envelope—nothing else, no mention of the card or anything.

Among the interesting letters was one from a man, whose request unfortunately arrived too late. He went into detail as to wanting a card for his collection of advertising cards. However, he was thoughtful enough to explain that individuals interested in mechanical banks should come first, and if their requests outnumbered the 20 then he would rather they be favored. This really appealed to the writer as an unselfish approach to a hobby.

We go from this to another extreme where there were letters requesting two cards, and while the intentions here were probably well meant, there was no way to comply with a request of this nature.

The writer was quite surprised and rather pleased with the overall replies to his offer. Many letters referred to the Mechanical Bank articles and how they were read and appreciated, and he certainly wants to thank all those who were thoughtful in writing in this manner. So please each case as the writer cannot answer all the mail received in this particular circumstance.

In answer to numbers of requests in these letters, the writer cannot supply back copies of the Mechanical Bank articles from the early 1950's on. To many others who ask as to publishing the articles in a book form—this has been given some consideration and time will tell. Now to those who inquired about a new edition of the Mechanical Bank Booklet. This is now in process and should be ready in a month or so. Due to increased costs, the price per copy will be a little higher than the original copyrighted in 1956. There will be numerous additions to the listing of banks and other changes right up to date. Accuracy as far as possible and the general form of the original booklet will be maintained. Anyone wishing to reserve a copy ahead of time may do so by sending a remittance of \$3 to the writer at the address shown in his various want ads in HOBBIES.

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Number 31 is a clock which is similar in design and mechanical features to the Marine-type clocks, but was made for use on railway locomotives. This is a McGranes Locomotive clock with a movement made by Seth Thomas.

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What are these clocks worth? In the case of Number 26 it is difficult to say. It was sold a good many years ago at about \$100. That is probably only a fraction of its actual worth today.

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The Number 29 clock was sold at \$200 a few years ago. Number 31 is, of course, not an antique, but these quality clocks are desirable. They will bring from \$40 to \$60, depending on condition.

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Special Note: In Part IV of this series which appeared in April, 1966, we discussed the Terry type Pillar and Scroll shelf clocks. At a recent sale at the Pennsylvania Auction Centre in Reading there was a Pillar and Scroll clock by Norris North, not in very good condition, which brought \$310. The so-called Torrington movement in this clock is somewhat different from the Terry type wood movement.

We will have a few more unusual Victorian clocks in Part X to follow next month.

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Side II - 1. FORZA DEL DESTINO: O tu che in seno 2. AIDA: Celeste Aida 3. OTELLO: Ora e per sempre 4. ANDREA CHENIER: Un di all'azzurro 5. BOHEME: Io non ho 6. BOHEME: Testa adorata (both by Leoncavallo) 7. BOHEME: Che gelida manina 8. BOHEME: Vecchia ziastra (both by Fucini).

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## LESS PROFIT, MORE PLEASURE

By CHARLES FRENCH

There's an old saying "What goes up must come down."

For the last 18 months the numismatic world has found itself in one of those "down hill" stretches.

Coin values had been skyrocketing. Speculators had reaped huge profits. Rolls, proof sets, and other speculative series were manipulated to unheard of new highs mostly by teletype quotations, fast-buck operations. Certain speculative issues went up so high collectors seemed to stand on the side lines and look agnostic.

The wild orgy even spread to silver dollars, foreign proof sets, and, that king of all collecting, proof Indian cents. The latter probably began the downfall of this speculative era, combined with other events.

Proof cents, in a matter of a few months, doubled, and in some instances tripled in value. Collectors either would not or could not pay these exorbitant prices and buying these dried up suddenly and completely.

Sale of small cents stopped suddenly. After being the most popular series, it became the least popular overnight.

The government, at this time, was suffering from a shortage of change in circulation. Coin dealers and speculators were blamed for the shortage. This instilled a note of uncertainty into the whole affair. Sales stopped. The boom was over and the consequent outcome was decline.

Many dealers went out of business. Losses were great. Ads for specula-

tive items were reduced greatly. Prices were down, and circulation of numismatic publications down.

People are burnt, as usually happens under similar circumstances.

It is estimated that prices, volume, interest, everything, went down about 40 percent from the high.

Let's look at the picture from a brighter side. The hobby is now better off than it was. Coin collecting has been given back to the coin collector.

From this point it should resume its healthy, steady growth, rather than the wild, speculative boom just experienced. The decline in values was slower than the rise and this is a healthy sign.

Undesirables, by now, should be out of the numismatic world. There should be less thought to how much one can make out of coins as a profit and more thought to what pleasure there is in collecting coins, researching them, joining numismatic clubs, and getting together with other coin collectors.

I think this shake-down is the best thing that could have happened. Now we should be "down to earth" and again can start building with confidence in the future.

There are still, however, problems that can stand correcting. An important one is the practice of some dealers who advertise "bid" and "ask" prices. If a "bid" price is listed, the dealer should stand behind said price and purchase coins offered to him at that price, not use the "bid" price as a false backing for his "ask" price.

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## Question:

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Can you tell me what the coin is? How old? And its monetary worth, if any? Thank you.

—Mrs. R. L., California

## Answer:

The bronze pieces you have are called marriage tokens. They have rather obscene figures on one side. These pieces sell for around \$2.

—C. F., New York

## Question:

Please state the value, if any, of a United States bill fractional currency 10 cents (\$.010) dated March 3, 1868.

—M. H. J., Texas

## Answer:

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## Question:

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Will you please identify these and give approximate value? 1778 piece poor, 1823 good, large copper, very good.

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## Answer:

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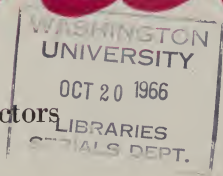
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# Old Mechanical Banks

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## Calumet Bank

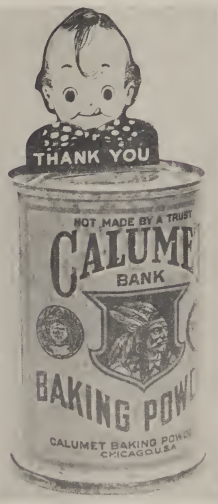
By F. H. GRIFFITH

An interesting little mechanical bank with an exceptionally unusual background is our choice as No. 150 in the numerical classification. With the exception of patent papers, which was all he had to go on for years, the writer knew very little about the Calumet Bank until recently. Then Ann and Ed Rost of St. Louis, Mo., found the bank pictured, and we now know considerably more about it. A unique feature of the Calumet, in addition to its being a production bank, is the fact that it is distinctly an advertising item. It was either given away or distributed as a premium in some fashion. Very few of the mechanicals fall into this category. The Weedon's Plantation Dinky Savings Bank, for example, in addition to being sold through regular channels was given as a premium for selling a certain number of subscriptions to the Youth's Companion. The Pump And Bucket was also used as an advertising item by at least one concern, Guskys of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. The exclusively advertising angle of the Calumet Bank very definitely adds to its interest.

From about 1898 to 1925 the Calumet Baking Powder Company was in business under this name in Chicago, Ill. They had considerable difficulty with competitors in using the name "Calumet." Calumet is an Indian word and it means "pipe of peace." This name was used by the Baking Powder Company in a broad sense to mean peace between housewife and grocer, and peace between grocer and manufacturer. The word Calumet was widely advertised and became a household name, along with the "Calumet Kid" shown in the picture. The Indian head, also shown in the picture, was their Trade Mark, and this was well known. In any event, due to certain business angles, on July 1, 1925, the Company changed their name to the Calumet Distributing Company.

Systems, a magazine of business, in its June, 1922 issue, goes into some detail about the Calumet Kid and his prominence as a national figure. At the time there were even movies made about the Kid.

The Calumet Bank was patented as an advertising novelty September 16, 1924, with the papers and drawings filed July 17, 1922. The patent was issued to Edward E. Barnes of Chicago, Ill., assignor to Calumet Baking Powder Company of Chicago, a corporation of Illinois.



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By CHARLES FRENCH

A great many medals of historic interest were struck in the early days of our country, and many of them are not very well known. The medal commemorating the opening of the Erie Canal is one of great interest as it shows our early development.

In 1810, under the guidance of DeWitt Clinton, who later became governor of New York State, the legislature created the Erie Canal Commission. DeWitt Clinton served as a member of this commission without pay for 10 years and finally saw his dream of a canal across New York State from the Hudson River to Buffalo, realized.

Ground was first broken in 1817 at Rome, at a cost of around \$7,000,000. And eight years later, the canal finally was completed. It was 364 miles long and had 83 locks. This was a wonderful engineering accomplishment for the day.

At first it met with considerable opposition, and was known as "Clinton's Folly." But soon it became one of the principal factors in the development of travel to the West.

Travel by wagon to Buffalo took around 45 days. The Canal reduced this time to six days. Costs that were formerly \$100 per ton were now only \$5. Passengers could travel for as little as 5 cents per mile. The Canal was paid for in 11 years.

Its opening, in 1825, was started by a water parade that left Buffalo and slowly wound its way to New York City. Governor Clinton traveled upon the "Seneca Chief" and took part in the great celebration held for him in New York.

The Canal also caused other economic changes. Up to this time Philadelphia was rated as the largest seaport in the United States. The State Barge Canal placed New York City in the spotlight.

There were 50 odd gold medals struck to commemorate this event and they were given to such celebrities as General Lafayette, the surviving signers of the Declaration of Independence, and foreign royalty. What has become of these gold medals is a mystery, for none of them are known to exist today.

There were also some silver and a few hundred pewter or white metal medals struck. The silver are unobtainable, and the pewter ones very rare.

The obverse of the medals has two full figures of Pan and Neptune seated. Beneath Pan is a cornucopia; and to the left of Neptune, a lighthouse and the sea. The legend is "Union of Erie with the Atlantic."

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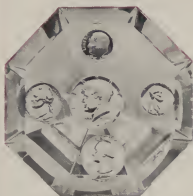
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# Old Mechanical Banks

Conducted by F. H. GRIFFITH

## Santa Claus Bank

(SEE COVER)

By F. H. GRIFFITH

We can say with complete confidence that it would be impossible to select a more appropriate mechanical bank for the 1966 Christmas issue than Santa Claus as pictured on the cover. Santa standing by the chimney conveys the full old fashioned tradition of gifts and toys to come for girls and boys. So with pleasant timing the Santa Claus Bank, a fine representation of the traditional Santa figure, is our choice as No. 151 in the numerical classification.

Before going into details concerning the Santa Claus mechanical bank, it bears mention that collecting various representations of Santa Claus is quite a hobby in itself. In the toy line, for example, there is the classic cast iron sleigh with Santa driving two reindeer. There are also several different type Santa still banks which are quite attractive. There is a fine Ives walking figure Santa Claus. This winds up, the mechanism is inside the figure, and it is made of wood, metal and cloth clothing. The writer even has an old cast iron ashtrey which is the face of Santa Claus. There is another type toy cast iron Santa sleigh where he drives one reindeer, and a tin Santa still bank, and so on.

The Santa Claus Bank was patented October 15, 1889 by Charles G. Shepard and Peter Adams of Buffalo, N.Y., with Adams the assignor to Walter J. Shepard. The patent was issued as a design for a toy savings bank and the drawing included in the papers is practically identical to the production bank. As to the manufacturer, there is some question between the Shepard Hardware Company, Buffalo, N.Y. or the J. & E. Stevens Company of Cromwell, Conn. It has been attributed to Stevens in spite of the Shepard patent. This is based on the fact that Shepard patents were assigned to the Stevens Company and the Speaking Dog, for example, was first made by Shepard and then later on by Stevens. As a matter of fact, the writer has the original papers covering assignments of patents and in two cases at least, the Speaking Dog and the Stump Speaker were assigned by Shepard to the Stevens Company, June 4, 1894. However, as to Santa Claus, the writer has never seen a Stevens Catalog or anything else that would indicate they made the bank at any time. The bank pictured has the identical

type distinctive paint work done by Shepard. The eyes, for example, have the same detail as on Uncle Sam, which was only made by Shepard. Of course, it isn't earth shaking to pin it down definitely as the Santa Claus was made by either of the two companies, or each at different periods. The writer leans to its being an exclusive Shepard Hardware Company product.

The Santa Claus shown (cover) is in complete original condition with very good paint. Santa wears a grey coat and hat flecked all over with white to simulate snow. The coat down the front and around the bottom is brown and the inside of his hat, exposed around his face, is red. His hands and face are pink and he has white eyebrows, blue eyes, and a fine white beard. The basket-like bag on his back is yellow with a black band at the top. Gold color toys, a boat, horn, doll, wheelbarrow, rocking horse, sword, high chair, and so on, are on a red background in the top of the bag. He wears black boots and stands on a grey-green base. The name "Santa Claus" in gold appears by the toes of his boots. The red chimney with white outlining of the bricks to simulate mortar completes the coloring of the bank.

The operation of the bank is simple but effective. As shown in the picture (see cover), a coin is first placed in the raised right hand of Santa. A lever located to the rear of his right foot is then pressed and Santa lowers his right hand dropping the coin into the chimney.

The Santa Claus Bank is a very fine, attractive item and, of course, particularly appropriate at Christmas time. In closing, it bears mention that the bank pictured has the wording "Pat. Appd. For" on the underside of the base. This, generally speaking, means that this bank or any bank with this terminology was manufactured before the patent date. However, it does not necessarily follow that immediate action was taken on the date a patent was issued to inscribe the date on any given bank. Some mechanical banks were not made for a long period of time and never got beyond using "Pat. Appd. For" on all examples produced. However, when given examples of a specific bank are known to exist with some inscribed "Pat. Appd. For" and others with a patent date thereon,

we know that those without the date are the earlier types and usually produced before and not long after the date of patent.

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## SOME FINE CAST IRON TOYS

(See Cover)

Our cover this month of December, 1966, features along with Santa Claus some excellent examples of very desirable cast iron toys. The writer has received many, many requests to do articles on cast iron toys and here at long last are some of the desirable types.

A quite rare toy is the Brownie Patrol evolved from the original creation of Palmer Cox whose Brownies swept the country with their popularity in the 1890's and '90's. The toy is attributed to Wilkins Toy Company of Keene, N.H., circa 1890. It has the Policeman, the Dude, the Chinaman, and so on riding in the patrol. It is a well detailed, colorful, rather small toy and very desirable.

The Spider Phaeton is a rare type cast iron horse drawn toy pleasure vehicle. The coachman sits up in back with folded arms while the lady drives. This fine toy was made by Kenton Hardware Mfg. Co. of Kenton, Ohio, circa 1903.

The Coach is an excellent example of fine detail in the horse drawn pleasure type of cast iron toy. It was made by Wilkins Toy Company, circa 1892, and undoubtedly is the best type coach in the "Savage" category ever produced. When pulled along the horses move rocking up and down, and the doors are hinged for opening and closing.

The Monkey On Tricycle bellows rider, is a product of the J. & E. Stevens Company. It was patented in 1883 and appears in a number of their catalogs of the period. When pulled along, the Monkey moves its legs as though riding the tricycle and the bell rings by motivation of the rear wheels. It is painted in bright appropriate colors.

Another fine bell toy shown is the Ding Dong Bell made by Gong Bell Mfg. Co. of East Hampton, Conn. It appears in their L 1 Catalog for the years 1903 and 1904. When the toy is pulled the bell is caused to swing back and forth and ring merrily along.

Last, but by far not least, is the great Kenton Steamer Fire Engine. It is probably the finest purser type toy fire engine ever made. The detail is unusually well done and it is a very colorful large piece. Overall it measures 26 1/2 inches long and the three realistic action horses are 11 inches long. It has been said by some that Ives made the finest cast iron toys of all times, but this simply isn't fact. Kenton, Hubley, Wilkins, Pratt & Leitchworth, and several other concerns made cast iron toys that in numbers of cases surpass anything ever produced by Ives. Please understand this does not imply that Ives did not make some excellent toys but they most certainly did not. However, their general line, and understand we are speaking of cast iron toys, most certainly did not surpass anyone else's. The Kenton fire engine pictured on the cover was made by Kenton Hardware Company, circa 1915, and by the way, if anyone notices the word "Manufacturing" is left out of the company name this time, it is because the word was dropped from their name sometime after 1902.

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Number 38 is an Appleton, Tracy, in coin silver. Number 39 is a Turnip.

(To be continued)

# Numismatics

Conducted by CHARLES FRENCH

## CALIFORNIA \$50 GOLD PIECES

By CHARLES FRENCH

The \$50.00 gold piece, slug, ingot, or quintuple eagle, as it was variously designated, came into existence early in 1851.

Efforts on the part of Californians to have a branch mint established in San Francisco resulted in a temporary compromise which provided for the operation of an assay office in that city. To it miners and others could take their gold dust and, at a nominal cost, have it smelted, refined, and struck into ingots of \$50 value each.

The ingots were to bear the stamp of the United States Assay Office. And the assayer in charge was appointed by the United States Government.

Great numbers of the coins were struck. Fully \$2,000,000 of gold were coined in the first nine months after the beginning of operation of the assay office. Before long the unwieldy pieces were at a discount. Smaller and more useful denominations went to a premium.

There has been much discussion of the status of these coins. Some collectors have maintained that these were regular United States coins. As they were stamped by the United States assayer.

For a time these coins were thought to be legal tender, and the collector of the port at San Francisco was authorized to receive them for customs duties. But later he was instructed that the coins were not so receivable as they did not comply with the law which provided that only coins of standard fineness of the United States pieces should be received.

The metal of the regular United States coins is .900 fine, but the gold of the California slugs was of three degrees of fineness, .880, .881, and .887. The differences were made up in the weight.

The difference in fineness was due to the silver contained in the California gold. Facilities to extract this silver were lacking at the time.

Though the coin was frequently at a discount of 2 or 3 per cent, in order to get it changed, it nevertheless was worth its face value and even more.

Counting the silver as well as the gold, the average mint value of the metal was about \$50.10. Without the silver, the average value of the coin was about \$49.90.

Around the middle of February, 1852, the United States contract for smelting and assaying gold was transferred from Moffat & Company to Curtis, Perry and Ward, who produced two varieties of \$50 gold pieces of slightly different design, as well as \$10 and \$20 gold pieces.

The first slugs were stamped with the United States Assay office. But, with the change in contract to Curtis, Perry and Ward, slight changes were made in the coin designs.

In 1855 Kellogg and Company in San Francisco issued a series of \$50 pieces, and it is thought that there are but 10 specimens known. The same year Wess Molitor & Company also issued a few. Both the Kellogg and Wess Molitor pieces are round, not octagonal, as were the earlier pieces. These too are very rare.

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—B. L. Jr., Minnesota

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—C. F., New York

**Question:**

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—Mrs. E., California

**Answer:**

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—C. F., New York

**Question:**

Could you identify this coin rubbing inclosed? It is apparently gold and quite pitted. Very thin and rather irregular in form, circular.

It was in some things left by my father who was a Spanish-American War Veteran. He has been dead for 31 years. He would now be 94.

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1914	15	38.00	42.00	1945	10	3.00	10.50
1915	15	27.50	31.50	1946	10	5.00	7.00
1916	15	35.00	42.00	1947	10	4.50	6.00
1917	11	27.50	35.00	1948	12	12.00	16.50
1918	11	29.00	36.00	1949	10	4.00	5.75
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